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TRUMAN TURNS DOWN NIZAM'S APPEAL

Will Not Intervene In India's Internal Affairs

OVER HUNDRED BRITISH AND U.S. NATIONALS EVACUATED TO MADRAS

WASHINGTON, SEPT. 10, (REUTER): INDIA WILL NOT ASK PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO USE HIS GOOD OFFICES AND TRY TO SETTLE THE DOMINION'S DISPUTE WITH HYDERABAD, IT WAS LEARNED AUTHORITATIVELY TONIGHT.

Earlier it had been announced that the Nizam of Hyderabad had asked the President to intervene. But Mr. Truman had declined, saying both sides should make such a request.

INDIA'S FIRM STAND

India, it was stated, will stand firm on her contention that the Hyderabad dispute is a matter entirely of internal concern.

Mr. Truman is reported to have accepted that view.

Indian officials this morning declared that for Hyderabad to seek United States intervention was like a State of the United States in a dispute with the Federal Government seeking the intervention of a foreign country.

The Indian Ambassador, Sir Benegal Rama Rau, declined today to comment on Hyderabad's approach to President Truman.

Tories May Press For Debate On Hyderabad

LONDON, Sept. 10, (U.P.I.): The Conservative Opposition will demand a full statement from the Government and may probably press for a debate on the Hyderabad situation when the new Parliamentary session begins next Tuesday it was stated here today. It was expected, however, that the Government would maintain the same attitude of non-interference as was outlined by Premier Attlee during the previous debate in July last.

BRITISH EVACUEES NOT UNDER WAR OFFICE CONTROL

LONDON, Sept. 10, (Reuter): Among British citizens being evacuated by air from Hyderabad are believed to be a number of men who have been serving with the Hyderabad Army.

The Commonwealth relations office told Reuter today that "about a dozen" Britons had been attacked to the Nizam's forces. They said they could not make the number more specific.

The War Office said no British army officers were serving the Nizam. Any Britons attached to his forces were under private contract and outside the control of the War Office.

The War Office spokesman pointed out that at the time of the transfer of power a number of British officers left the old Indian Army. Some were given gratuities and had no further military obligations.

It was possible that some of these had been serving with the Hyderabad State army.

ECONOMIC BLOCKADE TELLS

MADRAS, Sept. 10, (A.P.I.): Mr. D. C. Crosby (Canadian) Member of the India Mission of America, who came by the second plane, said that missionaries enjoyed complete freedom in their educational and evangelical work in the State.

The "economic blockade" was affecting people rather terribly, he said.

"In my view, Hyderabad cannot withstand any Indian attack for any length of time unless they receive outside help", Mr. Crosby added.

MADRAS SECURITY MEASURES ON HYDERABAD BORDER

BEZWADA, Sept. 10, (A.P.I.): Security measures on the entire 800-mile Madras-Hyderabad border are reported to have been further strengthened.

The new measures in the border districts of Bellary, Kurnool, Guntur, and East and West Godavari, following the recent military action at Kodar are stated to have had a reassuring effect on the population and a marked reduction in the number of evacuees from the state is noticeable.

The decreased number of evacuees is also attributed to this week's appeal made by India's Prime Minister to the people to remain where they are.

No border incident is reported to have occurred in Kistna District during the last two days.

Village Seethampet in West Godavari District however, is reported to have been attacked on August by the 30 armed Razakars who were chased back by the special armed constabulary. Casualties inflicted on the raiders are not known but one villager of Kova community is reported to have been killed in the Razakars attack.

ZAFRULLAH AND RAZVI WARNED

Delhi Muslims Deprecate "Blood Bath" Threat

NEW DELHI, Sept. 10. (U. P. I.): The Pakistan Foreign Minister Sir Mohammed Zafrullah Khan's statement that "if there is an attack on Hyderabad, there would be civil war and blood-bath in the Indian Union", was condemned, in a resolution passed by about 10,000 Muslims of Delhi who assembled in the Jumma Masjid for Friday prayers, today.

The speech of Syed Kasim Razvi was also deprecated.

The resolution assured, to the Government of India, the loyalty of four and half crores of Muslims of India and warned Sir Zafrullah Khan and Kasim Razvi that they had no business to speak on behalf of the Muslims of India.

ROADS BREACHED BY FLOODS IN U. P.

DAY AND NIGHT WORK WAS CARRIED TO REPAIR THE BREACH ON THE KANPUR-UNNAO ROAD. (MORE PICTURES ON PAGE 12)

NEHRU ON "DYNAMIC OPERATION" IN HYDERABAD

Troops Will March To Secunderabad Despite Nizam's "No"

PROPOSED VISIT TO LONDON WILL NOT BE HELD UP

NEW DELHI, SEPT. 10 (API): THE PRIME MINISTER, PANDIT JAWAHARLAL NEHRU, TOLD A PRESS CONFERENCE TODAY THAT THE NIZAM HAD NOT YET REPLIED TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA'S COMMUNICATION ASKING HIM TO FACILITATE THE STATIONING OF INDIAN TROOPS IN SECUNDERABAD. AN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THIS COMMUNICATION HAD, HOWEVER, BEEN RECEIVED AND THERE WAS A HINT IN IT OF A FURTHER REPLY.

The Prime Minister said: "We march. With great regret we shall still occupy Secunderabad", when asked what the Government of India would do if the Nizam refused to agree to the return of our troops.

APPEAL TO PRESS AND PUBLIC

Pandit Nehru reiterated his earlier appeal both to the press and to the public to curb the tendency to exaggerate events in Hyderabad. No doubt the state of affairs in Hyderabad had been "very bad and progressively worsening".

"The real reason" the Prime Minister said "which impelled us at last to decide upon taking action was not fundamentally the political reason although political reasons are important. But it was this reason that inside Hyderabad and on the borders, conditions were worsening and this was affecting the whole of South India and to some extent the rest of India. Naturally we have been anxious to avoid anything happening or doing anything which might lead to communal conflict. We have treated this question as far as we can, apart from the communal plane".

Emphasising the non-communal aspect of the whole question the Prime Minister warned that the Government of India were not going to tolerate any development of communal action in any part of India by whichever side it might be conceived.

Other points made by the Prime Minister were:

Indian troops have not yet started moving into Secunderabad.

He would not disclose when it would be done.

In regard to the future of the Nizam and the State it was entirely a matter for the people of the State to decide.

DYNAMIC OPERATION

"We propose to station our troops in Secunderabad. Our objective is to put an end to this disorder and brutality that is taking place in Hyderabad. Now all this is a dynamic operation and, when you indulge in a dynamic operation, numerous consequences follow which you cannot foresee. We have to see these things and then decide for ourselves, but the fundamental thing is that the people of Hyderabad should have a chance to decide their own future"

NO SENSATIONAL STATEMENTS

The Prime Minister, who began addressing the press by saying that he had no "sensational statements" to make, recalled that in regard to Hyderabad what had really moved the

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OPERATION"

Further Rise In Flood Level

ALLAABAD Sept. 10 (UPI)—The water level of the Yamuna further increase today reaching 162 ft. three inches mark at 8 p.m. The Ganga which was steady at 287 ft. till this morning, rose up by three inches at night.

The present water level of the Ganga is about nine feet above the danger point and that of Yamuna about eight feet above.

Despite relief measures, reports of untold sufferings of affected people are pouring in.

Shri B. C. Gupta, Civil Supplies Minister, U. P. Government, will arrive here tomorrow morning by air to study the terrible flood situation at Allahabad and discuss the flood and sanitation problems.

The Central Relief Committee met today and appointed two sub-committees, one for the District and the other for the City.

A finance sub-committee was also formed to collect funds for the flood-stricken people.

TOP PRIORITY FOR FLOOD RELIEF

LUCKNOW, Sept. 10 (API)—Relief to about 20 districts of the Province which have been devastated by floods has been given top priority by the U.P. Government.

The Government have so far allocated Rs. 2,35,000 for flood relief in the affected District.

Two special officers have been deputed to purchase seeds for substitute crop like potato and turnips to be sown when the floods have subsided.

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Instructions have been issued by the Animal Husbandry Department to the district officers to open centres for providing medical aid for cattle and make necessary arrangements to prevent a possible outbreak of epidemics.

MRS NAIDU ON SHORT VISIT TO DELHI

LUCKNOW, Sept. 10 (API.) Mrs. Sarojini Naidu, Governor of U. P., is leaving Lucknow tonight for Delhi on a short visit. The Governor will return to Lucknow on Sept. 15.

Secondary Education To Be Democratised

BOMBAY ASSEMBLY PASSES S. S. C. E. BOARD BILL

Move To Increase Tax On Lotteries And Newspaper Competition

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE)

POONA, Sept. 10.

The first day of the monsoon session of the Bombay Legislative Assembly, saw a brisk spot of work put in by that body. It disposed of in rapid succession, legislation deemed necessary on account of the recent acquisition by the Bombay Municipal Corporation, of the Electric Supply, tram and bus services and a Bill for the establishment of a Secondary School Certificate Examination Board.

The latter legislation evoked some lively discussion and the Prime Minister claimed that the measure was needed to put secondary education, which until now was the preserve of the middle classes and the richer classes within the reach of all classes, especially the backward ones. He characterised the Bill, which was passed by the House as the democratisation of secondary education.

Tax On Lotteries And Prize Competitions

Lincensed lotteries and newspaper prize competitions will have to pay higher taxes under a Bill moved by the Home Minister Mr. Morarji Desai. He did not accept the contention that all prize competitions could be regarded as gambling, as some of them involved skill. He could not agree to abolish pastimes of this nature, but said it was certainly the intention of Government to suppress the gambling spirit gradually. There will be no meeting of the Assembly on Sept. 15, as the Premier and members of the Cabinet will have to be in Bombay on that day, to receive Pt. Nehru, Prime Minister of India and H.M.I.S. "Delhi" due home on her maiden voyage after transfer from the British Navy to the Royal Indian Navy.

PROCEEDINGS IN DETAIL

At the stroke of 2, the day's business started with the swearing in of two new members, Mr. Daniel S. Suryavanshi and Mr. J. H. Mallineux after which a reference was made by Mr. B. G. Kher, Prime Minister, to the death of Mr. B. B. Chakranarayan, a sitting member of the Assembly.

It being Friday, the League members were absent for the first quarter hour.

HOMAGE TO LATE CHAKRANARAYAN

Mr. Kher recalled his associations with Mr. Chakranarayan both as a student and later in the police courts of Bombay as a fellow member of the Bar and mentioned that Mr. Chakranarayan took keen interest in the affairs of the Indian Christians of the Province. He had organised institutions and endowed scholarships. He wished to place on record the Assembly's deep sense of grief at his death, the same to be conveyed to his widow and children.

Mr. S. L. Karandikar and Mr. P. V. Gillespie associated themselves with the sentiments expressed by the Premier. Mr. K. S. Firodia, who presided, said: "I wish the soul of the departed may rest in peace". A panel of chairmen consisting of Mr. B. N. Gupte, Mrs. Lilavati Munshi, Mrs. Shuffi Tyebji and Mr. Gillespie, was announced.

Mr. S. N. Angadi, Deputy Speaker, Mr. B. D. Deshmukh, Mr. S. C. Vakil, Mr. J. H. Shamsuddin and Mrs. Sumatibai Gore, were nominated on the Committee of Petitions.

AMENDMENT TO ESSENTIAL COMMODITIES ACT

In the absence of the Civil Supplies Minister, Mr. Morarji Desai, Home Minister pilotted the Bill to Amend the Bombay Essential Commodities and Cattle, Control Act 1946.

Mr. Desai said that the Bill purported to extend the life of the Act for two more years as powers exercised under the Act required to be continued until conditions became normal.

B.E.S.T. EARNINGS GO TO SEPARATE FUND

A Government Bill to amend the City of Bombay Municipal Act 1888 which was moved by Mr. G. D. Vartak, Minister for Local Self-Government, was unanimously passed, after the incorporation of a minor amendment, technical in character. The Minister said that it was not possible to operate the BEST services under the existing Act. Additional provisions to the Act became necessary. Also the receipts of the Corporation in respect of the electric supply and transport undertakings would not be credited to the ordinary Municipal fund, but would be credited to a separate fund, from which all expenditure on the undertakings would be met. Another Bill which pased through all stages empowers the Government to lay trolley or railway lines across or along highways for its own purpose to the exclusion of public traffic.

RAILWAY LINES ALONG HIGHWAYS

Dr. Gilder, Minister for Health and Public Works, moving the Bill said

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KRISHNA MENON IN DELHI

Commonwealth Envoys To Get Status Of Ambassadors?

NEW DELHI, Sept. 10 (UPI): Mr. Krishna Menon, India's High Commissioner in London, has arrived here, it is understood, to have among other things a preliminary discussion with the Prime Minister on various subjects coming before the Commonwealth Premier's Conference in London.

Among the various questions which will be discussed by the Conference next month is one relating to that of changing the Commonwealth Diplomatic title, the "High Commissioner", it is learnt. There is a suggestion that the title should be Ambassador, thus giving the Commonwealth Envoys the same status as that of foreign representatives.

STAGE SET FOR COMMONWEALTH PREMIER'S CONFERENCE

Arrangements for the Conference which is to begin early next month, possibly from October 11, are now almost complete, it is gathered. The Conference is expected to last for about two weeks.

Besides discussing subjects of common interest to the British and Commonwealth Governments including trade, defence and constitutional questions, the Conference will have the Commonwealth Premier's views on the question of the British Government's attitude towards a proposal of a European Assembly.

The plenary meetings of the Conference, it is stated, will be kept to the minimum, and most of the business of the Conference will be done through informal meetings. No decisions requiring the Parliamentary ratification here or in the Commonwealth countries are expected, the purpose of the Conference being essentially to provide opportunities for a frank exchange of views upon matters of concern to the Commonwealth as a whole.

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Madras Facilities For Hyderabad Evacuees

MADRAS, Sept. 10. (A.P.I.): A total of one hundred and two people, consisting of British, Americans, Canadians and Australians, were evacuated from Hyderabad to Madras to-day by air. The evacuation will be continued to-morrow and is being carried on under instructions of the United Kingdom High Commissioner's office in New Delhi.

Two York planes of the British Overseas Airways Corporation made shuttle flights between Hyderabad and Madras. An American dakota also made one flight.

The first plane carrying evacuees reached Madras by about 11 a.m. and the last by 8-30 p.m.

In addition to these some others are said to have left Hyderabad State by train.

Some evacuees on arrival stated that the economic life of people inside the State had been badly affected.

Two evacuees who brought firearms with them, including rifles, shot guns and some rounds of ammunition, had to leave these with the Madras police at the aerodrome.

Madras Government buses took the evacuees from Meenambakam aerodrome to the city. Most of them are being billeted at the Adyar Club and the Madras Club.

There were in all 47 women and 33 children between the ages of three months and five years among the evacuees.

The bulk of the evacuees to-day belonged to U. K. there being only five Americans and five Canadians—all being missionaries, one Australian and one German.

Major General A. A. Rudra, General Officer Commanding Madras area, and other military and police officers were present at the airport in addition to members of the U. K. High Commissioner's office and the American consulate to receive the evacuees.

Mr. C. A. Gault, Deputy High Commissioner for U. K. in Madras told the A.P.I. representative to-night that some more evacuees are expected to arrive here from Hyderabad to-morrow and that two B.O.A.C. York planes would proceed to Secunderabad to bring them here. He said that the evacuation to-day was carried out smoothly and all the evacuees had been comfortably housed in various European clubs, hotels and private residences in the City.

"PROTECTED AREA"

BOMBAY, Sept. 10. (U.P.I.): The Bombay Government have declared East Khandesh, Nasik, Ahmedabad, Sholapur, Bijapur and Dharwar to be protected areas in exercise of powers conferred by the Foreigners Order, 1948, according to a Gazette Extraordinary issued to-day.

"BRITISH CROWN SHOULD HAVE NO PLACE IN INDIAN CONSTITUTION"

CALCUTTA, Sept. 10 (UPI): Initiating today'a discussion on the Draft Constitution of India in the West Bengal Legislative Assembly, Dr. Prafulla Chandra Ghosh said that the British Crown would have no place in India's Constitution, whether it be a Democratic Republic or a Sovereign Republic.

Dr. Ghosh suggested that the provision regarding citizenship right should be liberalised with a view to making it easy for anybody coming from Pakistan to acquire Indian citizenship.

Continuing he observed that there was no need for a Governor in the new Constitution when the Crown was fading away. He was also opposed to reservation o iseats.

Referring to the question of tmoluments of Governors Dr. Ghosh said that the Congress Economic Programme Sub-Committee was unanimous that the maximum salary should not in any case be more htan 40 times of the minimum salary, the minimum being Rs. 55 or 50.

Dr. Ghosh also suggested hat Lawyers or Doctors should be prohibited from charging exhorbitant fees. As to the creation of new Provinces, he said that the matter should be left to the Indian Parliament to decide.

BENES BURIED

PRAGUE, Sept. 10. (Reuter): Dr. Eduard Benes, former President of Czechoslovakia who died last Friday, was buried oday int a mausoleum built according to his wishes in the grounds of Sezimovo Usti, his country home.

M. Antonin Zapotocky, the Prime Minister, members of the Government, representatives of the diplomatic corps the Archbishop of Prague, Mme. Benes and other near relatives, attended the funeral.

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1. To receive and adopt the Directors' report and Audited Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December 1947.
1. To elect two Directors in place of those who retire under Article 99 of the Articles of Association of the Company, but being eligible offer themselves for re-election.
3. To appoint Auditors for the current year and to fix their remuneration.

To transact such other business as may be brought forward with the permission of the Chairman.

The SHARE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st September, 1948 to 6th October, 1948, (both days inclusive).

Bombay, 4th September, 1948.

By Order of the Board.
P. D. CHURI
Jt. Managing Director.

To,
The Shareholders of the Company and in particular to (1) Mr. Prabhakar Laxman Lad (2) Jovita Carlos Fernandes, (3) Ana Runa Alagappa Chettiar.

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DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF INDUSTRY AND SUPPLY. OFFICE OF THE DEVELOPMENT OFFICER (METALS).

New Delhi, the 31st August, 1948.

PUBLIC NOTICE

A PUBLIC NOTICE, dated 2nd June, 1948, was issued by the Development Officer (Metals) intimating that import of metals from Japan would be permitted and parties might contact the Japanese importers direct or the Indian Liaison Mission, Tokyo. Imports are to be effected against licences as usual.

Information has been received that the Supreme Commander, Allied Powers, in Japan has placed freezing orders on all sales and exports of metals including zinc about which a specific mention was made in the public notice of the Development Officer (Metals). It is, however, expected that imports will be resumed in about four months time.

(Sd.) D. P. ANTIA,
Development Officer (Metals).
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APPLICATION FOR LICENSE OF GOVERNMENT

THE BOMBAY ARMS AND AMMUNITION DEALERS ASSOCIATION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of Section 26 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, application has been made to the Government of Bombay for a licence directing that an Association about to be formed under the name of "The Bombay Arms and Ammunition Dealers Association" shall be registered with limited liability without the addition of the word "Limited" to its name.

The principal objects for which the Association is proposed to be established are:—

"To promote, protect, aid and stimulate the trade relating to Arms and ammunition explosives, Military Stores, Sports goods and Sikar and shooting requisites and allied products or articles.

The other objects of the Association are set out IN EXTENSO in the Memorandum of Association a copy of which may be inspected at the office of Messrs. Jamsedji Rustomji and Devidas, Solicitors, Lalgir Chambers, Tamarind Lane, Fort, BOMBAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that any person, company, firm or corporation objecting to this application may bring such objections before the Government of Bombay on or before the 12th day of October next by a letter addressed to the Secretary to the Government of Bombay, Finance Department.

Dated 9th day of September, 1948.

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BANGABASI COLLEGE CALCUTTA

ON THE OCCASION of the Diamond Jubilee Celebration of the College to start from the 27th November next the Re-Union of old boys of this Institution will be held on the 28th November. All old boys of this Institution since the inception of the College in 1887, whether in this province or outside, are requested kindly to send in their names to the undersigned together with particulars of their career and designations and the years and courses of study in this College and their present occupation and addresses. All ex-students, however old some of them might be, are requested to register their names immediately for the Old Boys' Association and Re-Union which the college has the proud privilege to start and to continue as an annual function.

Principal P. K. Bose, General-Secretary, Bangabasi College Diamond Jubilee and Old Boy's Re-Union Committee, 19 Scott Lane, Calcutta. 1385

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APPLICATIONS INVITED for the undermentioned posts from nationals of Indian Dominion by birth or by domicile. Persons of Indian descent or citizens of the Indian States which have not acceded to the Indian Dominion or citizens of the Pakistan Dominion or of any other territory adjacent to India are also eligible but a declaration of eligibility issued by the Government of the Dominion of India will be necessary in their case before appointment. Women eligible. Upper age limit relaxable by 3 years for Scheduled Caste candidates. Particulars and application forms from Secretary, Federal Public Service Commission, Council House, Post Box No. 186, New Delhi. When applying for forms candidates must specify the name of the post. Closing date for applications with treasury receipt or Crossed Indian Postal Order for Rs 7/8/- (Rs. 1/14/- for Scheduled Caste candidates) 9th October, 1948. The Commission may, at their discretion, remit the prescribed application fee where they are satisfied that the applicant is a BONA FIDE refugee and is not in a position to pay the prescribed fee. Cheques or Money Orders not accepted. Separate application with separate fee required for each category of posts. Candidates from outside India are not required to pay any application fee and may apply on plain paper if prescribed application forms not available. No candidate will be considered for appointment unless he appears for a personal interview if called upon to do so.

1. TWO TEMPORARY POSTS OF EXAMINER OF STORES (ONE METALLURGICAL AND THE OTHER GENERAL ENGINEERING) UNDER THE DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF INDUSTRY AND SUPPLY. Posts reserved for 'war service' candidates. Only 'War Service' rendered between 3rd September, 1939 and 1st January, 1946 will be taken into account. For one of the posts Scheduled Castes preferred. AGE:- Preferably below 30 years: relaxable for candidates otherwise suitable and for those already in Government service. The period of approved war service may be deducted from the real age for the purpose of upper age limit. PAY:— Rs. 160-10-330 with a higher scale of Rs. 250-10-300-15-450-25/2-500 limited to 10 p.c. of permanent posts. QUALIFICATIONS: (1) EXAMINER OF STORES (METALLURGICAL): (i) Degree or diploma in Metallurgy or in Mechanical Engineering qualifying for exemption from the Associate Membership Examination of the Institution of Engineers (India); OR Apprenticeship for at least 5 years with a well known firm dealing with the manufacture of iron and steel. (ii) Two years' practical experience either in steel works or in a testing Laboratory dealing with Metallurgy. (2) EXAMINER OF STORES (GENERAL ENGINEERING): ESSENTIAL—(a) Good general education and sound knowledge of Fundamentals of Mechanical Engineering, theory and design. (b) Apprenticeship or practical training for at least 3 years in an Engineering Workshop of repute, and in addition, candidates should either (i) have had further practical experience for at least 2 years in Mechanical Engineering, or (ii) have an Engineering degree in Mechanical Engineering or equivalent diploma. (c) Thorough knowledge of workshop methods and standards of workmanship will be preferred to high academic qualifications. (d) Ability to make clear and concise reports in candidate's own handwriting. DESIRABLE: Some drawing office experience.

2. FIVE POSTS OF CIVILIAN ASSISTANT ARMAMENT SUPPLY OFFICER, ROYAL INDIAN NAVY. The posts are temporary but likely to become permanent. AGE: Preferably below 22 years; relaxable in case of Government servants. PAY: Rs. 275-25-500/E.B.-30-650, plus the normal allowances as admissible to Civilian gazetted officers. QUALIFICATIONS: ESSENTIAL—Degree in Science of a recognised Indian University. DESIRABLE:— Previous experience of stores in the Royal Indian Navy, Royal Indian Air Force, I.A. or any other Government Department.

3. ONE POST OF ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION, DELHI. Post permanent but appointment will be made for five years in the first instance on contract. AGE:— Preferably below 40 years, relaxable in exceptional cases. PAY: Rs 400-25-500-30-800. Higher initial pay up to Rs. 500/- may be granted to a specially well-qualified and experienced candidate. QUALIFICATIONS:— ESSENTIAL—(a) A high academic degree of a recognised University. (b) At least 3 years' experience as a teacher in a recognised educational institution and five years' administrative experience in a recognised educational institution or as an Inspector of Schools. (c) Knowledge of Hindi and Urdu. DESIRABLE: A degree or diploma in Education from a recognised University. Those who have applied already in response to the previous advertisement for this post need not apply again or pay the fee but they should inform the Commission that they wish to be considered again.

4. ONE POST OF MANAGER, CONSTRUCTIVE DEPARTMENT H.M.I. DOCKYARD, BOMBAY. Post temporary but likely to be made permanent. AGE:— Preferably below 40 years; relaxable up to 45 years in case of Government servants. PAY: Rs. 1000-50-1400. QUALIFICATIONS:— ESSENTIAL—(a) Graduate in Naval Architecture or Member of Associate Member of the Institute of Naval Architects (London). (b) Practical experience in a responsible capacity in a shipbuilding or ship-repairing firm of not less than 10 years DESIRABLE: Experience of Naval Construction

5. ONE TEMPORARY POST OF SECRETARY, UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMITTEE, UNDER MINISTRY OF EDUCATION GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, NEW DELHI. AGE.— Preferably below 45 years but may be relaxed in case of candidates possessing exceptional qualifications. PAY: Rs. 1100-50-1300-60-1600-100-1800. Higher initial salary may be given to specially qualified candidate. QUALIFICATIONS: ESSENTIAL—(i) A sound general education with at least a first class honours or post-graduate degree of an Indian University or a high second class honours or post-graduate degree of a foreign University. (ii) At least 10 years' experience of administration in a responsible capacity in a University or first grade College or Department of Education or at least 10 years' experience as Professor or Reader or head of a Department in a University, first-grade College or other educational institution of University standard. DESIRABLE: Knowledge of the working of one or more foreign Universities preferably in the U.K. or the U.S.A

6. TEMPORARY POSTS OF 5 DEVELOPMENT OFFICERS, MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND SUPPLY, 12½ p.c. posts reserved for Scheduled Castes. AGE:— Preferably between 35 and 45 years on 1st January, 1948, relaxable in special cases and particularly for Government servants. PAY:— Rs. 1300-60-1600 QUALIFICATIONS:— (1) DEVELOPMENT OFFICER (TOOLS): (a) First Class degree or diploma in Mechanical Engineering of a recognised University. (b) About 5 years' practical training in a reputable Engineering workshop, preferably in an overseas Machine Tool Manufacturing firm. (c) About ten years subsequent experience of service in a responsible post either in the public services connected with Mechanical Engineering or in a reputable Engineering firm. (d) Corporate membership of a leading Engineering Institution in India, U.K. or U.S.A. (e) Candidates must be fully conversant with Tool Industry and with the development in that line in leading foreign countries. (f) Candidates should be capable of planning, organizing and developing indigenous Machine Tool and Small Tool industries on proper lines. (2) DEVELOPMENT OFFICER (MECHANICAL ENGINEERING AND STEEL CONTROL). (a) First Class Engineering Degree or Diploma which entitles exemption from sections A & B of A.M.I. Mech. E. Examination, London. This qualification may be relaxed for an otherwise highly suitable candidate. (b) At least two years' training in a Machine shop. (c) At least ten years' subsequent experience in Mechanical Engineering, including at least 3 years experience in an administrative technical post. (d) Candidates must have been in intimate contact with the Indian Engineering Industry especially the Mechanical and Structural Industries for a minimum period of five years. Preference will be given to candidates who are corporate members of at least two of the following Institutions. (i) Institution of Engineers (India) (ii) Institution of Mechanical Engineers, London, or equivalent American Institution. (iii) Institution of structural Engineers, London, or equivalent American Institution. (iv) Institution of Production Engineers, London, or equivalent American Institution. (3) DEVELOPMENT OFFICER (METALS) (a) Degree in Metallurgy of an Indian or Foreign University with knowledge of Indian conditions. (b) 5 to 7 years' research experience and or practical experience which should include 4 years' administrative experience of a technical nature. (4) DEVELOPMENT OFFICER (SILK). (a) Degree of a recognised University. (b) Candidates should possess working knowledge of and not less than 4 years' experience in sericulture and silk Industry from the stage of Mulberry cultivation up to reeling of raw silk and grading and testing of raw silk and weaving into fabrics. Knowledge of both CHARKHA reeling and factory reeling and also of handloom weaving and power loom weaving is necessary. (c) They should have at least 4 years' experience of office administration and management, Government or non-Government, dealing particularly in matters concerning silk industry in all its aspects. (d) They should possess sound knowledge of the conditions of the silk reeling and weaving industry in India, including knowledge of marketing of raw silk and of finished products. (5) DEVELOPMENT OFFICER (FOOD). (a) Doctorate from an Indian or Foreign University in Chemistry or Biochemistry. (b) Candidates must be well recognized specialists in any branch and must have administrative experience for at least 3 years in the management of an office or a Laboratory. (c) Up-to-date knowledge of modern developments in the field of Food Industries. Knowledge of Chemical Engineering would be an additional qualification.

7. 2 (ONE PERMANENT AND ONE PROVISIONALLY PERMANENT) ECONOMIC RESEARCH OFFICERS IN THE OFFICE OF THE ECONOMIC ADVISER TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA. In partial modification of item No. 4 of Advertisement No. 36 it is notified for general information that the qualifications for the posts are amended to read as follows. ESSENTIAL: (a) An Honours degree in Economic of an Indian or a foreign University. (b) Considerable experience in Economic research. DESIRABLE: Candidates should have a fair amount of published work to their credit. Closing date for receipt of applications extended from 4th September, to 9th October, 1948.

8. TWO ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS FOR THE TECHNICAL DEVELOPMENT ESTABLISHMENT UNDER THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE. Posts temporary but likely to become permanent: AGE:— Preferably below 45 years. PAY:— Rs. 275-25-500-E.B.-30-650. QUALIFICATIONS:— (a) Degree of an Indian or a foreign University. (b) Five years' experience of administrative work in a Government office or a civilian firm of repute. Preference will be given to experienced employees of Technical Development Establishment.

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FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

Advertisement No. 46

APPLICATIONS INVITED for the undermentioned posts in the Inter Services Wing, Armed Forces Academy, Dehra Dun, from nationals of Indian Dominion by birth or by domicile. Persons of Indian descent or citizens of the Indian States which have not acceded to the Indian Dominion or of the Pakistan Dominion or of any other territory adjacent to India are also eligible but a declaration of eligibility issued by the Government of the Dominion of India will be necessary in their case before appointment. Non-Indians eligible and will be considered only if suitable Indians are not available. Women eligible. Cheques or Money Orders not accepted. Separate application with separate fee required for each category of posts. Candidates from outside India are not required to pay any application fee. No candidate will be considered for appointment unless he appears for a personal interview if called upon to do so. Applications on plain paper accompanied by a Treasury Receipt or a Crossed Indian Postal Order for Rs. 7/8/- (Rs. 1/14/- for Scheduled Caste candidates) and giving the undermentioned particulars should reach the Secretary, Federal Public Service Commission, Council House, Post Box No. 186, New Delhi, before the 25th September, 1948. 1. Name of the post for which applying. 2. Name and address. 3. Father's name. 4. Date of birth. 5. Domicile. 6. Qualifications. 7. Previous experience. 8. Minimum salary acceptable. 9. Names (with addresses) of 3 persons as references. They should be holders of responsible positions but must not be relations. Posts (1) One Principal. (2) Two Readers. (3) Twelve Lecturers. TENNURE: All posts on contract for 5 years. AGE:- FOR (1) & (2): Preferably not below 34 years. FOR (3): Preferably not below 28 years. PAY:- FOR (1): Rs. 800-40-1000. FOR (2): Rs. 500-30-800. FOR (3): Rs. 300-25-500-30-560. Higher initial pay may be granted to specially well-qualified and experienced candidates for all posts. QUALIFICATIONS: ESSENTIAL- (a) First Class M.A. or M.Sc. or 3 years Honours degree in one of the following subjects: (i) English, (ii) Mathematics, (iii) Science and (iv) History or Geography with a degree or diploma in teaching of a recognised University. For one of the posts of Lecturers (Workshop Practice), a degree in Mechanical Engineering would be essential. (b) At least ten years' experience in teaching in the case of (1) & (2) and five years' in the case of (3). (c) Proficiency in games. DESIRABLE:—(a) Military experience and or experience of Scouting or in a University Training Corps. (b) (FOR 2 & 3 ONLY): Knowledge of one or more of the following languages: French, German, Russian, Spanish, Colloquial Chinese, Japanese, Modern Arabic and Modern Persian.

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FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

Advertisement No. 47.

ONE TEMPORARY POST OF ADDITIONAL DISTRICT INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS, DELHI. In partial modification of item 4 of advertisement No. 33, it is notified for general information that women are now eligible for appointment. Last date for receipt of applications from lady candidates, 2nd October, 1948.

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GRAINSHOP DEPARTMENT, B.B. & C.I. RAILWAY

QUOTATIONS returnable by 11 hrs. on 17-9-1948, are invited on Railway's form for the supply of (1) Pulses, (2) Edible Oils, (3) Pure Ghee, (4) Jaggery, (5) Spices, (6) Dry copra, (7) Onions, (8) Potatoes (9) Sugar, from the merchants possessing the necessary trade licences.

For quantities, terms and deliveries and other conditions please apply to the Asstt. Controller of Grainshops, Church Gate, at any time during working hours.

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NOTICE

THE EASTERN BANK LIMITED (Incorporated in England, the liability of members being Limited).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Bank will be CLOSED from the 17th September to 2nd October, 1948, both days inclusive.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE

THE PUBLIC ARE INFORMED that on SATURDAY, the 11th September, and FRIDAY, the 17th September, 1948, the following roads will be CLOSED to vehicular traffic and reserved for public purposes between the hours of 3-30 p.m. and 9 p.m. on account of the immersion of Ganpatis.

SANDHURST ROAD from its junction with Vithalbhai Patel Road to Chaupati;
CHAUPATI from the old level crossing to its junction with Babulnath Road;
HUGHES ROAD from its junction with Sandhurst Bridge to its junction with French Road.
FRENCH ROAD from its junction with Chaupati to Chaupati Back Road.
HARVEY ROAD from its junction with Chaupati to Chaupati Back Road.
VITHALBHAI PATEL ROAD from Cawasji Patel Tank to Sandhurst Road junction (except for conveyances carrying Ganpatis when proceeding west, i.e. towards Chaupati).
GIRGAUM ROAD from Portuguese Church to Sandhurst Road junction.
MARINE DRIVE from its junction with the road leading from the footover bridge between Churchgate and Marine Lines Rly. Station to its junction with Chaupati.
CHARNI ROAD, from Portuguese Church to its junction with Vithalbhai Patel Road shall be closed to east bound vehicular traffic (except for conveyance carrying Ganpatis).

VEHICLES proceeding from Walkeshwar and Cumballa Hill towards the Fort and vice versa will proceed along the following roads:

WALKESHWAR TO FORT via Walkeshwar Road, Babulnath Road, Hughes Road, Nana's chowk, over Kennedy Bridge, Girgaum Road and New Queen's Road.

CUMBALLA HILL TO FORT via Gowalia Tank Road, Nana's Chowk over Frere (Grant Road) Bridge, Lamington Road and New Queen's Road.

FORT TO WALKESHWAR via New Queen's Road, French Bridge, French Road, Hughes Road, Babulnath Road and Walkeshwar.

FORT TO CUMBALLA HILL via New Queen's Road, Girgaum Road, over Kennedy Bridge, Nana's Chowk and Gowalia Tank Road.

CHAUPATI FOOT OVERBRIDGE will be open to pedestrian traffic going towards the seaface upto 6-30 P.M. and all persons returning from the sea face before this time will proceed via Sandhurst Bridge: from 6-30 P.M. this bridge will be open only to persons returning from the sea face. All persons wishing to go to the sea face after 6-30 p.m. will proceed via Mathew Road and Sandhurst Bridge.

PARKING PROHIBITED. Parking of vehicles along Girgaum Road (Kennedy Bridge) North of Sandhurst Road, on French Road from its junction with Chaupati to its junction with Sandhurst Bridge and along New Queen's Road is prohibited.

This order is made under the provisions of section 23(4) of the Bombay City Police Act, IV of 1902.

J. S. BRAURCHA,
Commissioner of Police.

Head Police Office,
Bombay, 27th August, 1948.

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GOVERNMENT OF ALAHAZRAT JALALATUL MALIK THE AMIR OF BAHAWALPUR

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION.

Dated Baghdad-ul-Jadid, the 3rd September, 1948.

SEALED TENDERS are invited for the purchase of stocks of cotton seeds at the following stations in the Bahawalpur State:—

Name of the Station	Approximate Quantity of Cotton Seed in maunds. 4F (Black)	289F (White)
(1) Rahimyarkhan	64,533	58,895
(2) Zahirpir	91,370	1,000
(3) Sadiqabad	68,701	13,055
(4) Khanpur	62,090	19,576
(5) Chaudhri	90,828	2,897
(6) Chistian	6,958	1,340
(7) Kot Samaba	4,500	4,500
(8) Feroza	43,750	5,750
(9) Hasilpur	21,577	700
(10) Mandi Sadidganj	1,223	
(11) Harunabad	11,000	
Total.....	4,66,530	1,07,803

The tenders quoting rates per maund ex stock both with or without bags and the quantity tendered for together with the name or names of the stations should be sent to the undersigned by registered post marked "Tender for Cotton Seeds" by name before the 25th September, 1948. It should be noted that the delivery of the stocks will be made to the successful tenderer ex stock on full payment of the price.

The Government of Bahawalpur are not bound to accept the highest tender or to assign reasons for their decisions in the matter.

M. H. RAHMAN,
Finance Secretary
Government of Bahawalpur
Baghdad-ul-Jadid.

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NOTIFICATION

No. 20448 A. 44. — The Commissioner of Police, Bombay by virtue of the powers conferred on him under sec. 23(1) of the City of Bombay Police Act, IV of 1902 as amended by the Greater Bombay Laws and the Bombay High Court (Declaration of Limits) Act, 1945, hereby issues the following orders for regulating vehicular traffic in Bandra on the roads mentioned below on the 12th and 19th of September, 1948 during the Mount Mary Feast.

ONE WAY TRAFFIC

2. (a) All vehicular traffic from the direction of Bandra Railway Station bound for Mount Mary Church on Bandra Hill, shall proceed via Station Road and Hill Road direct.
(b) No vehicle shall travel eastward along Hill Road or Station Road between the junction of St. Andrew's Road with Hill Road and Bandra Railway Station between the hours of 6 a.m. and 11 p.m.
(c) All vehicular traffic from Bandra Hill proceeding towards Ghodbunder Road and Bandra Railway Station shall pass via Cane Road, Byramjee Jeejeebhoy Road, Hill Road, St. Andrew's Road, Perry Road, and Turner Road.
(d) No vehicle shall proceed eastward up the Hill along Cane Road and Pereira Road.
(e) No vehicle shall proceed westward along Turner Road between Bandra Railway Station and Ghodbunder Road between the hours of 6 a.m. and 11 p.m.

3. Motor vehicles other than motor buses may set down passengers at the Mount Mary Church and shall immediately leave via Cane Road. Vehicles are allowed to park on the Byramjee Jeejeebhoy Road at the place appointed for the purpose on the sea front.

4. Parking or halting of any vehicle at the Church along the routes for a time more than what is absolutely necessary for setting down occupants of vehicles is prohibited. Provided that bona fide private owner driven motor cars may be allowed to park for a period not exceeding two hours in the open space in front of the Church if a special permit for the purpose has been obtained beforehand from the Supdt. of Police F Dn., Bandra. This provision may be revoked at any time by the Commr. of Police at his discretion.

5. Motor buses and all motor drawn conveyances shall set down their passengers at Mount Mary Hill Police Chowky and then proceed via Pereira Road into Byramjee Jeejeebhoy Road.

J. S. BHARUCHA,
Commissioner of Police.

Head Police Office
Bombay 2nd Sept. 48

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

Mr. BENISINGH ROSHANLAL VERMA, of Bombay Hindu Inhabitant has contracted to sell to our client the undermentioned property. Any person having any claim whatsoever in or to the property is required to communicate the same in writing to us at Fort Chambers, Hamam Street, Bombay, within fourteen days, otherwise such claim will be considered as waived.

All that piece or parcel of Foras land or ground (now redeemed) together with the messuages tenements or building standing thereon situate, lying and being at De' Lisle Road in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay in the Island of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 663 Square Yards and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 184, New No. 12125 and New Survey No. 1/2974, Cadastral Survey No. 807 of Lower Parel Division and in the books of the Collector of Municipal assessment and taxes under "G" Ward Nos. 183(1) and 183(2), Street Nos. 829 and 829A and bounded as follows:— that is to say, on or towards the East by Public Gowan or passage, on or towards the West and North by the land formerly of Kashinath Devji and now of Sir Sassoon J. David and on or towards the South by the land of Trimbak Gangadhar Ranade and now of Sir Sassoon J. David.

Dated this 10th day of September, 1948.

NANU HORMUSJI & CO.
(Purchaser's Attorneys.
(1404)

HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY

Insolvency No. 100 of 1948.

Re: MANHAR SOMCHAND DALAL, of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitant, an Employee in the Office of Messrs. Dalal & Shah, at 49, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay, and residing at Ishwarniwas, Opposite Ishwarlal Park, Baptista Road, Vile Parle West, in Greater Bombay. .....A Debtor.

Ex parte: KAILASRAI HIMATLAL VAKIL.... Petitioning Creditor.

On the Petition of the abovenamed Petitioning Creditor presented on the 27th day of August, 1948, an order was made on the 9th day of September 1948, by the High Court of Judicature at Bombay in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed Debtor an Insolvent.

Dated this 9th day of September, 1948.

SAROSH H. A. VAKIL
Insolvency Registrar.
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(For Futher Notices See Page 3.)

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PUBLIC NOTICES

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY

TENDER NOTICE

SEALED TENDERS are invited for the following and will be received in the Controller of Stores' Office East Indian Railway 17, Netaji Suohas Road, Calcutta, upto noon on 25th October 1948.

Tender number SP/F/175/EVB/VB-45 for supply of Piston Rod short stroke brass covered (C&W) and Loco to IRS Drg. No. VB-45 (current) —780 nos. Tender forms with full particulars may be obtained from the Office of the Controller of Stores East Indian Railway, 17, Netaji Suohas Road, Calcutta on payment of Rs. 2 per copy to the Treasurer, East Indian Railway, Calcutta and on production of his receipt when applying for the same. Firms outside Calcutta may however remit the amount to the Controller of Stores direct by money order.

No refund is permissible.

Sealed tenders delivered by hand should be presented for registration in the Controller of Stores' Office and then put into the Tender Box outside the Controller of Stores room by the Tenderer or his representatives. Tenderers and representatives may present themselves at the time of opening of the tender in the room of Deputy Controller of Stores.

CONTROLLER OF STORES
(1385)

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that KHAN SAHEB Capt. NOORMAHOMED KASSAMBHAI CHOHAN and MADAME MARIAM EUGENIE CHOHAN have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to my client.

ALL persons having any claim against or to the said property by way of inheritance, morigage, sale, gift, lease, lien, charge trust, maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at his Office at Hill Road, Bandra within 14 days from the date hereof; otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

THE SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY

ALL that piece or parcel of vacant land, containing by admeasurement 895 square yards or thereabouts, situated on the Dattatraya Road at Santa Cruz in the Revenue Village of Danda, South Salsette Taluka, Bombay Suburban District, bearing Plot No. 6(c) being a portion of Final Plot No. 6 of the Santa Cruz Town Planning Scheme No. II and which piece or parcel of land is bounded on or towards the North by the property of Hormasji Dorabji Gazdar, on or towards the South by the Dattatraya Road, on the East partly by Plot No. 6(a) of the said Scheme belonging to Sunderrao Narayan Kirtikar and partly by Plot No. 6(b) of the said Scheme belonging to Vishwasrao Narayan Kirtikar and on the West by Plot No. 6 (d) of the said Scheme belonging to Gajanan Wamanrao Kothare.

Dated this 11th day of Sept. 1948

J. B. ATHAIDE
B.A. LL.B.,
Advocate for the Purchaser.
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IN THE COURT OF THE CIVIL JUDGE, JUNIOR DIVISION, AT ATHNI

Reg. Civil Suit No. 35 of 1943.

1. A shop named Shidramappa Balappa Burli, by its owner and Vahivatdar, Murgeppa Shidramappa Burli, of Athni ..... Plaintiff

VS.

1. A shop named Devkarnadas Ramkumar by its owner and Vahivatdar, Motilal Ramkumar of Athni now residing at Bombay .....Defendant.

To,

THE DEFENDANT.

WHEREAS the above named suit is remanded by the District Court, Belgaum you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person, or by a pleader instructed on the 18th day of October, 1948 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon to answer the claim.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day before mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court this 7th day of September 1948.

(Sd.) A. R. HIPPANJI,
Clerk of the Court.

S. V. PATIL,
Pleader
M. L. KORABU,
Suit Sherishtedar

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AUCTION SALES

BONAFIDE SALE

AUCTION SALE TOMORROW (Sunday) at 10-30 a.m. Property of P. Williams Esqr and others at Chowpatty Seaface near Vianellis Restaurant of complete household and office furniture. Mirror door steel almirah, 60 x 30 ins. double door Eng. Milners and other safe, Singer machine, typewriter, Eng. a. c. radio, Eng. large ice box, Elec fan, office steel furniture, dining writing and dressing table, show case Chesterfied almirah, bed, gramophone, etc., (S Tax)
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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that we the partnership subsisting between GORDHANDAS CHUNILAL SHAH and CHANDRAKANT GORDHANDAS SHAH, which carried on business in the name and style of Messrs. Chandrakant & Co. at 85-87, Nagdevi Street Bombay 2, has been DISSOLVED from 9th September, 1948, so far as concerns the said Chandrakant Gordhandas Shah, who has retired from the said partnership as and from the 9th day of September, 1948 and the said Gordhandas Chunilal Shah will carry on the said business in he said name at the same place as the sole proprietor thereof.

Dated this 10th day of September, 1948.

THAKORDAS & MADGAVKAR,
Attorneys for
Gordhandas Chunilal Shah.
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HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

Insolvency No. 102 of 1948.

Re: BRIJMOHAN R. LOYALKA of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitant, till lately carrying on business as Share and Stock Broker at Stock Exchange New Small Building, Dalal Street, Fort, Bombay and residing at Maheshwari Mansion, Napean Sea Road, outside the Fort of Bombay. ..... A Debtor

Ex parte: RAMNIKLAL THAKORDAS ..... Petitioning Creditor.

On the Petition of the abovenamed Petitioning Creditor presented on the 1st day of September, 1948, an order was made on the 9th day of September, 1948, by the High Court of Judicature at Bombay in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed Debtor an Insolvent.

Dated this 10th day of September, 1948.

SAROSH H. A. VAKIL
Insolvency Registrar.

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Highside: 06-46, 17-53
Lowtide: 13-24

Today's Engagements

BOMBAY PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION:- Prof. Mrs. V. Gajendragadkar will speak on 'Inferiority Feeling' at the Wilson College at 6-16 p.m. today.

BOMBAY CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION:- Under the auspices of the Union, a public meeting will be held at 6-15 p.m. today at the Blavatsky Hall, Chowpaty, to protest against the Government's policy in placing various restrictions on the civil liberties of the citizens. Mr. N. M. Joshi will preside. Messrs. N. H. Pangya, Ashok Mehta, Dinkar Desai, Sushil Kavlekar and others will speak.

EDUCATIONAL FILMS OF INDIA:- Free demonstration of educational films on "Industrial Development" at 91, Walkeshawar Road Bombay 6, at 4 p.m. today.

BRAINS-TRUST (Labour College, Matunga, public meeting at Podar College, Matunga today (Saturday) at 6-30 p.m. Panel (1) Principal Dr. N.N. Murty (Biology) (2) Prof. M. R. Palande (Constitution and Administration) (3) Prof. G.L. Maini (Commerce). (4) Dr. G. M. Phadke, F. R.C.S. (Surgery) (5) Sjt. Rohit Dave (Labour and Current Politics)".

BHARATIYA VIDYA BHAVAN:- The following is the programme of lectures at the Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan, Chowpaty Road fixed for today (Saturday).

4 p.m.—Lecture by Principal V. N. Bhusnan on "Literature and Life".

5 p.m.—Opening of the Central Relief Committee's Sales Depot by Mrs. Lilavati Munshi.

5-30 p.m.—Free Flower Show organised by the Bombay Agri-Horticultural Society.

SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE, BOMBAY:- The oral examination of students of the Voluntary Social Workers' Training Class will be held today (Saturday) at 5 p.m. and if necessary on Sunday, at 10 a.m. The written examination of the class will be held on Sunday, the 19th September from 11-30 a.m. to 5-30 p.m. Students must register their names for the examination in the office of the League during office hours on or before the 9th September.

SOCIAL WORKERS' SOCIETY:- For sanitary rounds and visiting chawls, the members of the Society will meet at 5 P.M. today at the Jacob Circle Tram Terminus.

DURGA PUJA FESTIVAL:- Under the auspices of the North Bombay Sarvajanik Durga Pooja Samiti, Santa Cruz, the annual Durga Pooja festival will be celebrated.

THE SUBURBAN MUSIC CIRCLE:- A Shahnai Recital by Bismillah and Party of Benares will be held today (Saturday), at 10 P. M. (S.T.) in the Gujarati Hindu Stree Mandal Hall, Tagore Road Santa Cruz.

KONKANI CONFERENCE:- Under the auspices of the Konkani Bhasha Mandal, Bombay a meeting of the Konkani Speaking people of Bombay and Suburbs will be held tomorrow (Sunday) at 4 p.m. in the Forbes Gujrati Hall, Vithalbhai Patel Road near Congress House, Bombay 4 to elect a Working Committee to initiate the work of the 4th session of the Konkani Conference which is to be held in Bombay.

UCO BANK EMPLOYEES' UNION BOMBAY:- The Extra-Ordinary General Body Meeting of the UCO Bank Employees' Union Bombay held on 22nd inst. formulated the demands regarding the basic salary of clerks and the subordinate staff, dearness and Bombay allowances, gratuites provident fund leave, working hours and promotion and authorised its President Mr. S. L. Silam, to place hem before the management for their sympathetic consideration.

Radio

BOMBAY, Saturday, Sept. 11.

244 metres (1,231 kc/s).

7-30 a.m. Hiralal Nakshigara Bhajan (Ganpatrao) 7-40 News (M) 7-50 News (G) 8-0 News (E) 8-15 News (H) 8-30 Hiralal Nakshigara (Gujarati Bhajan 8-45 Haribhau Ghangrekar (Vocal music) 9-30 Close down. 12-0 p.m. Naghovanichya Farsarat. A composite programme in Marathi 12-45 News (M) 12-50 News (G) 12-55 Marathi Rangbhoomi 1-25 News (H) 1-30 News (E) 1-40 You Asked For It: Listeners' Recorded Requests Compare: Mae Dhondy 2-30 Close down 4-30 V D Ghate 4-45 U L Shah Nooranı 5-0 R N Paradkar Bhavgeet 5-15 Bhauroopi Programme of special interest to Children in Gujarati. Produced by D Dani (Air) 5-45 News (K) 6-0 News (E) 6-10 News (H) 6-15 Mangala Apte 6-45 Haripada Chowdhary Purvi on flute 7-0 Topic of the Day 7-10 Local Announcements ann Weather Report 7-25 U L Shah Noorani Thuri 7-30 Jai Lakhwanu Te Replies to Listeners' letters in Gujarati 7-40 L K Kunte Filmi Dhun on Clarinet 7-45 "Gunsundari" 8-0 News (M) 8-15 News (G) 8-30 Amritlal Navsariwala Thumri 8-45 Pakhvaj Par Chautal. By Air Artist 9-0 News (E) 9-15 News (H) 9-30 BBC News Relay 9-40 Anything Goes 9-45 Film Review. In English by A. T. Mathew 10-0 Vafadarina Vanke Drama in Gujarati written by H A Rajani 10-30 Haribhau Ghangrekar Vocal Music 11-0 Close down.

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7-40 a.m. Gujarati Stage Songs 9-30 Close down.

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2-30 p.m. Close downn.

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5-45 p.m. V D Ghate Sainvasan Itani Tilak-Kamod 6-15 Calling Rural Listeners 7-15 to 7.30 Interval

61.48 metre. (4,880 kc/s)

7-45 p.m. Commercial News 8-0 Sitar Solo. By Air Artist 8-15 R N Paradkar Nandalala nach re Pad (G K Datar) 8-30 to 9-0 As in Bombay 1 9-0 Mangala Apte 9-20 Jaitawanti on Flute. By Haripada Chowdhary 11-0 Close down.

Mr. Shyamlal H. Bhagwati, B.Com. has been appointed by the Government of Bombay as Justice of the Peace and Honorary Presidency Magistrate for Greater Bombay Mr. Bhagwati is a Leading Businessman dealing in Textile Machinery and was recently deputed by the Government of India on the Trade Delegation to Germany, France and Czechoslovakia. He is President of the Association of Merchants and Manufacturers of Textile Stores and Machinery and has been nominated by the Government on the Textile Advisory Committee.

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE FROM TOTAL DERAILMENT

Passenger-Packed Local Train Meets With Accident, None Suffers Injuries

BOMBAY, Friday.—The middle coach of a packed suburban electric train, running non-stop between Thana and Victoria Terminus, swung off the lines and was borne at the rate of nearly 40 miles per hour for half a mile before a passenger pulled the alarm chain and brought the train to a halt opposite the Currey Road Station this morning.

Nearly 2,000 office-goers were travelling in the train which miraculously escaped total derailment and possible tragedy. No one was injured but as the coaches came to a stop, the jam-packed passengers in the derailed coach panically jumped out.

While transhipment of passengers was immediately arranged, traffic was diverted from the main line, on which the accident took place, to the adjoining tracks. Railway officials stated that the time schedule was not disturbed very much.

Leaving Thana at 9-25 in the morning, the K 64 Up Suburban G.I.P. train, due at Victoria Terminus at 9-55, had just crossed Parel Station when the seventh bogey from the driver's end slid away from the rails. As the train speeded away, the driver being unaware of the mishap, the passengers clung frantically to their seats but the alarm chain was not pulled until Currey Road Station was approached. It is said that the moment the train drew to a halt, the coupling between the affected coach and the one following it, snapped, throwing the former towards the adjoining line. An official attributed this to the non-derailment of the other bogies.

For nearly half a mile, the derailed coach, swinging in the midst of the running train, scooped out the earth by the side of the line, ploughing deeply with its wheels.

The exact cause of the accident has not yet been ascertained but it is surmised that the second hind wheel of the seventh coach must have got dismantled, resulting in the derailment of the bogey. The over-head electric wires were not disturbed.

It is expected that the railway track must have been affected for the half mile distance, though only at a spot near Currey Road Station serious repair was called for. A track would be set right by dusk Engineers, with hundreds of workmen, were rushed to the scene immediately and hopes were expressed that the track would be set right by dusk.

Mr. H. P. Hira, Chief Traffic Manager, G.I.P. Railway told a reporter of the "Sentinel" that the escape of the train from total derailment was "extraordinary". "Normally such a thing does not occur" he said.

He pointed out that the three adjoining rail tracks helped in keeping the time schedule undisturbed and stated that the Deccan Queen, following the local, arrived at Victoria Terminus in time.

The fact that the driver of the engine was unaware of the derailment of Coach No. 7 during the half-mile dangerous journey did not surprise railway engineers who regarded it as "natural".

CITY'S TRIBUTE TO BHATKHANDE

Doyen Of Indian Music Who Set Rare Songs To Notation

BOMBAY, Friday.

A festical of Classical Hindustani Music, sponsored by the Bharatiya Sangit Shiksha Peeth, Bombay, was observed in connection with the 12th death anniversary of Pandit Vishnu Narayan Bhatkkande the famous research scholar in Hindustani Music early this week. The anniversary which was observed on the Sept. 5 was presided over by Mrs. Lilavati Munshi and addressed by Khan Vilayat Hussein Khan Mr. S. S. Kavlekar, and Prof. Chidanand Nagarkar, Principal of the Bharatipa Sangit Shiksha Peeth. Prof. Vilayat Hussein Khan recounted many incidents in the life of Pandit Bhatkhande and referred to the leading exponents and setting them his obtaining rare songs from some of to notation.

Mr. Nagarkar enumerated the various works of the Panditji which were a bible of Hindustani Music of today.

In her presidential speech Mrs. Lilavati Munshi stressed the need of popularising Hindustani Music in the western countries and to that end suggested that some of Panditji's works may be translated and set to the English system of notation so that Indian music could well be understood in the world abroad.

The function was followed by a series of concerts in vocal and instrumental music and dance, and was participated by amateurs and professionals of the various schools of music. The highlights of these concerts were vocal music by Khan Sahebs Vilayat Hussein Khan and Khadim Hussein Khan Prof. Balkrishnabuva Kapileshwari and Prof. B. R. Deodhar Sitar Solo by Pandit Ravishanker accompanied on the Tabla by Kisan Maharaj of Benares Tabla Solos by Khansahebs Shamsuddin and Allarakha Kathak dances by Sitara Devi, Miss Rohini Wagle and Miss Suniti Kowshik.

Seven City Arms Shops Sealed

BOMBAY Friday.

The Arms Branch of the Bombay C.I.D. today sealed seven arms shops belonging to Bhora dealers in Abdul Rehman Street.

SUBURBAN MUSIC CIRCLE:- Shanai recital by Bismillah and Party of Benares today (Saturday) at 10 P.M. in Gujarati Hindu Stree Manda Hall, Tagore Road, Santa Cruz.

CITY FIRM FINED

Company And Manager To Pay Fine Of Re. 1 Each

BOMBAY, Friday.

A nominal fine of one rupee each on three counts was imposed on Messrs. Evans Frazer & Co., (India Ltd.) and their General Manager Mr. J. H. Sanders by Mr. J. M. Barot Presidency Magistrate, Mazagaon Court, today for breach of cotton and yarn control order of 1945.

Messrs. Whiteaway Laidlaw & Co., Ltd., who also stood charged for a similar offence, was fined rupee one each on two counts through their Manager Mr. John Robert Nunn. The case against the late Mr. G. E. Greaves, former manager of this firm, abatted as he died during the pendency of trial.

The case against Mr. D. N. Shroff, Managing Director of Messrs. D. N. Shroff & Co., the Managing Agents of the first accused, was ordered to be put on file as he is at present out of Bombay.

The prosecution case was that the accused imported clydella cloth from U. K. during September and October last and were alleged to have sold them without marking the prices on the goods, thus committing a breach of cotton and yarn control order.

The accused in their defence maintained that they were importing the material for the last 50 years and that they were treated all along as woollen goods. Even customs authorities levied duties as woollen materials and therefore they contended that they did not commit a breach of law.

Imposing the nominal fine, the Magistrate stated that Government have all along accepted the goods in question as woollen materials and never considered them as cotton cloth. "From the facts of the case I am prepared to give them a warning, but the law does not permit me to do so. The ends of justice would be met by a very contemptuous fine of one rupee on each count", he observed.

Mr. E. B. Gaswalla assisted by Mr. Rustom R. Dadachandji appeared for the accused while the prosecution was conducted by Mr. Rane and Mr. Vaidya.

AHMEDABAD MILLS' QUOTA FOR GANDHI MEMORIAL FUND

AHMEDABAD, Sept. 10, (A.P.I.): The Ahmedabad Millowners' Association has called upon the memoermills to contribute to Mahatma Gandhi National Memorial Fund. The total contribution is expected to amount to about Rs. 50 lakhs.

WEATHER

WEATHER SUMMARY

POONA, Sept. 10 (API.) Following is the weather summrry for Friday the 10th September 1948: Rainfall has been widespread in west Bengal, Orissa, the East United Provinces and Central India and local in Assam, the West United Provinces, the Central Province and the north Madras coast.

Forecast valid until the 11th evening:—Rainfall will increase in Assam, sub-Himalayan Bengal, the East United Provinces, Central India and the North Central Provinces where widespread rain with scattered heavy falls is likely. There will be local rainfall elsewhere generally inn northeast India, in the West United Provinces, Punjab and around the East Punjab hills, along and near the Coromandel-Circars coast and in Mysore. Weak monsoon conditions will prevail elsewhere.

WEATHER CHART

POONA, Sept. 10 (API.) Following is the weather chart showing the maximum and minimum temperatures and rainfall in inches during past 24 hours from 1st June 1948 and departure from normal recorded at 03-00 hours IST on 10th September 1947:—

Ahmedabad 94 79 0 8.1 minus 15.6 Baroda 91 77 0 11.7—BOMBAY 88 79 0 57.0 minus 3.9 Calcutta 94 79 0.8 43.2 plus 2.7 Delhi 87 76 0 29.4 plus 2.5 Hyderabad (Dn) 89 72 0.1 19.8 minus 1.4 Lucknow 86 76 0.7 39.0 plus 6.8 Madras 95 74 0 8.5 minus 2.2 Nagpur 84 79 0 30.1 minus 8.9 Patna 89 79 0 26.3 minus 7.4 Poona 81 70 0 14.1 minus 2.0 Rajkot 96 75 0 5.9 minus 15.7 Surat 88 79 0 12.5 minus 13.1

KANE WARNS COMMERCE GRADUATES

Beware Of Temptations Of "Big Money"!

BOMBAY, Friday.

Dr. P. V. Kane, Vice-Chancellor of the Bombay University advised the commerce graduates this evening not to succumb to the temptation of 'big money', and to spend whatever fortune they might have made in ameliorating the condition of the people. He further asked them to use their talents in diagnosing the malady that affected the economic life of the country, at present, and provide suitable remedies for it.

Dr. Kane who was addressing the annual gathering of the Commerce Graduates' Association appeared to be in a reminiscent mood. A big gap of nearly 50 years separated men of his generation from the present day graduates. Those were the days of restricted freedom. He recalled how he was pulled up by the Collector of his town for teaching Burke's passage on "American Discontent" to the students of a school in which he was a teacher.

Since then much water had flowed under the bridge. India had become free and with that had come a welcome change in the mental attitude of the students.

Referring to the university the Vice-Chancellor said that its work had tremendously increased during recent years. There were drastic change to be effected. But the Vice-Chancellor was only a figure-head, having no power except that of exerting his moral influence, with the result that things dragged on in their old way.

Dr. Muranjan, Principal of the Sydenham College said that lack of economic thought was one of the findamental weaknesses of this country. He called upon the students to take up this field for the exercise of their talents. He further warned them that degrees and distinctions were not an end in themselves, and it was therefore better for them to try to cultivate the best in themselves. That way lay the nation's glory.

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Director-Producer: RAJ KAPUR
Story—Dialogues, INDER RAJ
Music, RAM GANGULI

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"THE UNFAITHFUL"

ON THE SILVER SCREEN

PREM ADIB is starred in Mehboob's musical romance "Anokhi Ada".

ARTIST IN QUEST OF HIS IDEAL

Rousing Reception To Raj Kapur's Maiden Venture

Lord Byron had said that he would prefer to wait for ages, if he was to wait for the right kind of woman who could adorn and could inspire him to struggle for the achievement of his ideal. It is such an idea which forms the theme of "AAG", the maiden creation of youngest producer Mr. Raj Kapoor, has had a rousing reception at the Opera House.

"AAG" is a poetic tale that tries to probe into the workings of the heart of an artist-and the struggle that goes on in his heart, in his efforts to realise his ideal. The Artist in "AAG" is a young man who has ambitions for presenting plays that would revolutionise the technique of the stage. But he requires a girl who would play the role of the heroine to perfection, as he had conceived it. He continues his search for that girl—first while in college and then while actually producing the play. The search, almost leads him to the goal, but the object lacks the sincerity of the soul, that is so very essential to perfection. Yet he reaches his goal in an unexpected way.

Nargis plays the heroine with poignancy that beats all her previous performances. Kamini Kaushal gives a fine exhibition of her histrionic skill. Raj Kapoor has imparted to his role of the artist a verve that brings all the idealism that was the burning passion of his life to the screen in a very life-like and appealing way. Premnath and Nigar also give fine performances.

"MAJBOOR"

Bombay Talkies Picture Celebrates Silver Jubilee

Once again the Bombay Talkies has hit the headlines. This is due to their latest success "Majboor", a picture which is celebrating its silver jubilee at Kamal Talkies on September 10. "MAJBOOR" is the newest addition to the Bombay Talkies' long chain of jubilee hits, which include "Achut Kanya", "Kangan", "Bandhan", "Jhoola", "Naya Sansar", "Basant", "Kismet", "Hamari Baat", "Jwar Bhata" and "Nauka Dubi".

"MAJBOOR" forms a milestone in the great tradition which Bombay Talkies has established. Apart from its entertainment value which embraces sweet lyrics and alluring dance sequences, the chief merit of "MAJBOOR" lies in its daring theme which promotes brotherly feelings among the people belonging to different faiths. Those who have witnessed the popularity of this picture wherever released would not have failed to observe also the tonic effect the picture produces on the spectators.

The credit for the unique success of the picture is equally shared by the producers, Ashok Kumar and Savak Vacha, on the one hand, and the team of artistes and technicians on the other. Nazir Ajmeri has very ably directed this picture and Ghulam Haider has given haunting melodies to the screen in his musical score.

The cast includes Shyam, Munawar Sultana, Indu and Sohan, together with Dar Kashmeri, Shivaraj, Ram Shastri, Gangu, Jagannath and Munto Bai.

"PARAI AAG"

Munawar & Madhubala In Comedy Of Errors

There is plenty of healthy humour in Great India Pictures' "PARAI AAG" which is now running at the Lamington in its 6th week.

The source of the rollicking fun of the picture lies in the mistake of one man—the father of one of the girls. He comes late to the station, finds a man whose name resembles that of his prospective son-in-law and without troubling to verify facts he takes him to be his prospective son-in-law. The latter is forced to accept the position and then the story moves at a break-neck speed. "PARAI AAG" though it possesses good comic punches does not ignore the serious side of life. We have an exhibition of modern girls in modern society and their decision to shape their destiny the way they like. The difficulties they have to encounter in doing so provide the emotional highlights of the picture.

Munawar Sultana and Madhubala shines in their depiction of modern girls. Ullhas and Sheri gives faithful representation of the modern young man. A. Shah ('Shikarpuri') is big bundle of wholesome laughs as the father who inadvertently creates all the troubles.

INDUMATI, one of the stars of Bombay Talkies picture "Majboor" which has just celebrated its jubilee at Kamal.

'PRITHVI VALLABH'

Sohrab Modi Stars In Gujerati Picture

Thousands of Sohrab Modi fans and lovers of Gujerati made up the holiday crowds that gave a reception to the spectacular picture "PRITHVI VALLABH" now appearing in Gujerati version at the Central. It is agreed on all sides that Sohrab Modi has done a great service to the Gujerati language by presenting on the screen an interpretation of Shri Munshi's well-known novel. Picture-goers find a repeated delight in the remarkable production values of this superb creation. Sohrab Modi's clear and forceful Gujerati diction is highly appreciated and the picture is found to have achieved a new charm in the language of its original conception. It is drawing appreciative crowds in the second week at the Central Talkies.

"ANOKHI ADA"

Mehboob's Musical Romance

Opening simultaneously at the City's two popular theatres, Excelsior and Super Talkies, on and from Friday, 17th September, Mehboob Productions song-studded social "ANOKHI ADA" is a picture that promises to break new grounds in movie entertainment. It tells an absorbing story of a daring young man who one cold night happened to sing a song of life which, it so happened, put new life and love in the heart of a little girl in a house nearby who appeared doomed to lead a life of woe. They pass through a series of adventures during which they realise that they are made for each other.

Produced and directed by Mehboob from a story by Zia Sarhadi, with dialogues and screenplay by Agha Jani Kashmiri, "ANOKHI ADA" has a notable array of stars—headed by Naseem, Surendra, Zeb Qureshi, Cuckoo and Prem Adib. Melodious music set to lilting tunes by Naushad is an added attraction.

"HUA SAVERA"

Picture Visualises Post-Freedom Era

Jivan Kala Chitra's enjoyable political drama "HUA SAVERA" is continuing to draw large houses at the National.

Visualising the post-freedom life of the country, "HUA SAVERA" has educational as well as entertainment value. It is produced by Hiralal Patel and directed by Kulbhushan Agarwal. Gyan Dutt has provided the music.

Nayantara, Sapru, Hira Sawant, Premkant and Dar Kashmeri give fine characterisations in the principal roles.

"BANWASI"

Realistic Picture Of Adivasi Life

Discriminating picturegoers have acclaimed Rajkamal's "BANWASI", now running in 4th week at New West End, as a picture which has the distinction of being realistic, progressive and artistic as well. It is realistic because it is a faithful portrayal of the Adivasi life: artistic because its pictorial treatment reaches a very high technical standard; progressive because it draws pointed attention to the plight of Adivasis and pleads for their economic and social betterment. No wonder "BANWASI" is attracting large and appreciative houses at every show.

NIRUPAMA, alluring star of Ranjit's "Jai Hanuman".

"CHANDRASEKHAR"

Picture With Patriotic Theme

Based on the story by the celebrated novelist Bankim Chandra, "CHANDRA SEKHAR", which is now running to packed houses in 5th week at three theatres—Capitol, Broadway and Taj, tells the romantic tale of a youth who dared everything to make his country free. The youth loved a girl whom he was not able to marry because of social conventions. But the youth did not vegetate in brooding over the affair. Instead, he turned all his energies to the services of his country which was being menaced by the onslaught of foreigners. His desperate plunge stems somewhat this onslaught. In this he is helped by his former beloved.

The story has been transferred to the screen by Director Debaki Bose.

Ashok Kumar plays the role of the patriotic youth who dares everything. Kananbala has given a smooth performance as the young girl. Bharati and Chhabi Biswas also acquit themselves very creditably. Music by Kamal Dasgupta is also good.

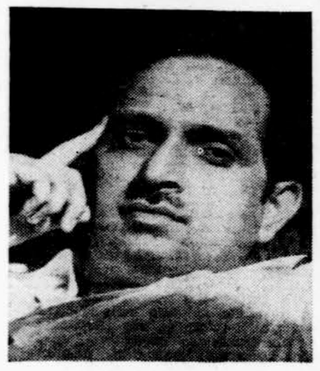
"EENADU" REVIVED

Telugu Play Of Communal Unity

Thanks to the popular acclaim which it received last Tuesday, Peoples Theatre's Telugu group is staging the modern Telugu play "EENADU" (Today) at Damodar Hall on Sunday 12th at 7 p.m. and Monday 13th at 8 p.m.

Directed by Dr. Raja Rao, who was responsible for "Ma Bhoomi", the play which is set in a South Indian village stresses the basic unity between Hindus and Muslims who have lived together as neighbours for centuries and who have been separated by communal poison in recent years. Realistic and dramatic, it is presented and acted with the typical IPTA gusto and vigour.

RAJ KAPOOR and NARGIS are co-starred in "Aag", which is having a rousing reception at Royal Opera House.



WALI SAHEB, author-director of "Padmini", now running at the Majestic.

"JAI HANUMAN"

Ranjit's Mythological

Ranjit gives a mythological with a message in its latest picture "JAI HANUMAN", which will be released at the Majestic next Saturday (Sept. 18).

Hanuman is revered by Hindus for his prowess and his fidelity. His prowess was proverbial. He has come to symbolize all that is best in physical culture. His fidelity and devotion to Shri Ram are considered to be sublime. He had implicit faith in his lord and dared everything for him. He it was who traced Seeta when everyone failed. He it was who wanted only to be allowed the privilege of waiting upon Shri Ram. He did not want any worldly benefits from Shri Ram. Thus, his steadfastness and devotion have become watchwords with Hindus.

These two points of his career are exquisitely delineated in this latest picture of Ranjit. P. Kailas, Babu Raje, Nirupa Roy, Keshav Purohit and S. N. Tripathi play the leading roles in the picture. Its story, dialogues and songs are by Pandit Indra.

Direction was in the capable hands of Ramchandra Thakur, who has religiously yet rationally handled the subject. The intensely spiritual character of Hanuman is well brought out by his direction.

Music by Bhulo C. Rani is in keeping with dignity of the subject.

DON'T HURRY UP TO REPLACE ENGLISH

Exchange Of Thoughts Will Be Difficult Says Munshi

HYDERABAD (Deccan), Sept. 9.—"The hurried replacement of English, our predominant language of scholarship, by a provincial language would make an exchange of thought or learning between the provinces difficult at a time when it is most needed" said Mr. K. M. Munshi, India's Agent General in Hyderabad when interviewed by pressmen here in connection with the suggestion to replace English as a medium of instruction in Indian universities within the next five years.

Mr. Munshi said he stood, and had always stood, for a national medium as "higher education which influences the thought and culture of the nation and provides national life cohesive forces has inevitably to be in an inter-provincial, that is, a national medium."

City To Get Films On Public Health

BOMBAY, Friday.

Bombay citizens will soon get the benefit of 16 MM sound films on public health which will instruct them how to fight diseases and preserve health of the city.

The Bombay Municipal Corporation has already secured seven Encyclopaedia 16 MM sound films from U.S.A These films will be brought to the city by air. They will deal with such important subjects as Body Defences against diseases, fundamentals of diet. Eyes and their care, the teeth, tuberculosis, posture and exercise and home nursing.

The Public Health Department of Bombay Municipality will utilise them for propaganda among the people in their fight against diseases.

NAGPUR September 10, (API): The Three Muslim businessmen from Bombay, who were detained at the Nagpur aircraft on their way to Jubbulpore yesterday, were allowed to proceed to Jubbulpore after some hours detention pending police enquiries of their intentions.

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PRINCE OF RAMGARH Win
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JAWAHIR Next Best

7TH RACE:
DEEPAK MAHAL Win
PHILBOROUGH Next Best

8TH RACE:
Maratha MANDIR Win
HIKMET Next Best

9TH RACE:
SHERDIL Win
BOLD BANDIT Next Best

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STYLISH LADY
PRINCE OF RAMGARH
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Acceptances

The following are the acceptances of Poona Meeting, Fifth Day, to be run on Saturday, 11th September, 1948.

THE BADLAPUR PLATE.—Distance 1 mile 1 furlong.

Chetna 9-1; Majestic 8-8; Interlaken 8-4; Queens Bess 7-12; Kashmira 8-2; Sweetest Desire 8-1; Arvind 7-13; Mail Fist 7-10; Vikram Aditya 7-9; Home Spun 7-0.

THE SALPA PLATE. Division II.—Distance 6 furlongs.

Dashera 9-1; Jubilation 8-7; Amelia 8-10; Missing Link 8-9; Luminary 8-7; Al Hamra 8-6; Robin Adair 8-0; Salma 8-0; President 7-13; Mayfair Lady 7-9; Peace Treaty 7-0.

THE CLUB PLATE. Division II.—Distance 6 furlongs.

Show On 9-0; Gori 8-13; Mah-I-Nau 9-0; Mirelia 8-13; Bhishma 8-13; Caltex 8-12; Mr. O. K. 8-10; Tantalum 8-9; Nizamuddin 8-6; Kunleshwari 8-6; Prince Vijit 8-6; Georgie 8-5; Pound Note 8-2.

THE KAMSHET PLATE.—Distance 1 1/4 miles.

Tomcat 9-0; Dragon Seed 8-13; Irish Right 8-12; Malakeh 8-8; Once Again 8-3; Stylish Lady 7-13; Maid of Honour 7-8; Big Three 7-2.

THE GIMCRACK STAKES—Distance 1 mile.

Prince of Ramgarh 9-7; Arowhena 9-4; Khundil 9-0; Flying Arrow 9-0; Caltex 9-0; Hindustan Zindabad 8-11; Gay Pilot 8-11; Fitna 8-8; Sweet Maryla 8-8; Brave Anna 8-8.

THE VADGAON PLATE.—Distance 1 mile 1 furlong.

Chetak 9-2; Parting Summer 9-2; Jawahir 8-13; Royal Mantle 8-10; Goodwill 8-10; Gipsy Moon 8-7; Gipsy Gem 8-5; Monel 8-5; Khan Saheb 8-3; Kunigal Star 8-1; Near Image 7-13; Ramal 7-11; Very Light 7-8.

THE KASARA PLATE.—Distance 7 furlongs.

Deepak Mahal 10-0; Jaiwant 8-5; Laxmi Vilas 9-3; Sister Vincent 7-10; Philborough 7-10; Flying Home 7-9; Sunbathing 7-0.

THE CLUB PLATE. Division I.—Distance 6 furlongs.

Maratha Mandir 9-7; Queen of Gwalior 8-9; Blue Mist 9-0; Shubh Luxmi 8-13; Ghizala 8-13; Hikmet 8-11; Khundil 8-9; Doodal Dandy 8-9; Baaz Bahadur 8-6; Aman 8-6; My Pet 8-5; Gentle Whisper 8-1.

THE SALPA PLATE. Division I.—Distance 6 furlongs.

Sherdil 9-0; Vie On 8-10; Du Barry 8-10; Independence 8-10; Vagabond Queen 8-9; Crescent 8-6; Hooded Terror 8-7; Bold Bandit 8-4; King Sheridan 8-4; Ajinkya Tara II 8-2.

Irish Golf Title

NEWCASTLE, County Down, Sept. 10 (Reuter): Cecil Ewing of County Sligo, 39 pear old salesman, won the Irish amateur open golf championship at Newcastle, Royal County Down, today when he defeated John Carr, of Sutton, by one hole in the 36 holes final.

Ewing, like Carr, a British Walker cup player now holds both the Irish open and native titles.

Ewing was two up at the end of the first round against his 27 year old rival, who won the title in 1946, was runner up last year and holds the East, West and South of Ireland titles.

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PROVINCIAL TABLE TENNIS

Jacob Beats Bangera But Loses In Next Round

BOMBAY, Friday.

The second day's play in the Provincial Table Tennis Championships this evening at the C.C.I. Badminton courts, provided many interesting matches. Most of the encounters in the first and second rounds of both the events due for decision—the Women's Doubles and the Men's Singles—were played to the full three games before decision could be arrived at.

In the most interesting match in the women's doubles, Misses Walawalkar and Dharap just managed to get home in the third and final game against Mrs. Mani Bharucha and Miss Piroja Irani. It was a very close affair and the fortunes of the game flucuated many a times from one side to the other many a times during the course of the match, and had Mrs. Bharucha employed a little more daring in her attack may be she might have brought home the beacon for herself and her partner. Miss Irani particulary played well and kept the ball always on the table and created many openings for her senior partner to finish the rallies but as stated earlier she played too cautiously and preferred to take no risks, and ultimately paid the penalty by losing the match.

In a second round match between K. B. Nagarkatti and B. K. Anandrao, the former managed to stave off the attack of Anandrao, and ran out a deserving victor in three well-contested games.

Young A. I. Jacob after beating a far more experienced player in U. S. Bangera went down in the next round to D M. Kamath rather tamely. Recently this one-time promising youngster has been playing very carelessly and has sacrificed many a good opportunity for no apparent reasons.

A. F. Pradhan could not put his more-than-useful forehand strokes into good effect and had to accept defeat at the hands of A. S. Amladi in three games.

The following are the results:

WOMEN'S DOUBLES

FIRST ROUND: Dhun Mistry and Amina Joosab beat Katy Ghadiali and Jaloo Ghadiali, 17-21, 21-5, 21-8; Mani Bharucha and Piroja Irani beat Ruby Satarawala and K. Mistry, 21-18, 21-16; Jaya Walawalkar and Subhasini Dharap beat Pat Pierre-Jean and Freany Mugaseth, 23-25, 21-8, 21-11; S. Varadkar and S. Amladi w.o. P. H. Billimoria and G. H. Billimoria.

SECOND ROUND: Meera Gajendrasinh and Rhoda Shroff beat P. C. Chinai and M. B. Javeri, 21-12, 21-15; Dhun Mistry and Amina Joosab beat S. Varadkar and S. Amladi, 21-15, 21-18; Gool Nasikwalla and Enid Bocarro w.o. Gool Irani and U. M. Jhaveri; Jaya Walawalkar and Suhashini Dharap beat Manj Bharucha and Piroja Irani, 10-21, 21-14, 21-16.

MEN'S SINGLES

(Third Quarter)

FIRST ROUND: B. K. Anandrao beat H. B. Dhondhy, 21-12, 19-21, 21-11; A. P. Vakeel beat H. N. Shah 21-19, 19-21, 21-18; D.D. Walawalkar beat N. R. Desai, 18-21, 21-16, 21-7; S. H. Engineer beat P. Srinivasan, 21-15, 21-9; B. A. Laljee beat A. J. Engineer, 21-19, 21-17; Y. M. Mahajan w.o. R.M. Toddywalla; H. J. Kapadia beat J L. Parikh, 21-13, 21-14; D. P. Sampat beat B. M. Vakeel, 21-12, 20-22, 21-18; P. K. Joshi beat A. Benjamin, 21-10, 20-22, 21-13; R. V. Jaganath w.o. K. R. Panjri; A Subbarao beat A. D. Captain, 19-21, 21-12, 21-13; B J. Poncha beat P. S. Sandhavalla, 21-17, 9-21, 21-9; B. S. Santok beat S. G. Damle, 17-21, 21-13, 21-16; D. M. Kamath beat R. J. Patel, 21-16, 21-16; K B. Nagarkatti beat B. C. Mitter, 21-16, 21-10; A.I. Jacob beat U. S. Bangera, 14-21, 21-14, 21-13.

SECOND ROUND: G. Y. Bhandare w.o. J. K. Umfigar; A. V. Remedios w. o. K. C. Merchant; S. Naid w.o. R. J. Dawda; M Vatarwalla beat G. N. Broker, 21-6, 18-21, 21-12; A. Subbarao beat R. M. Toddywala, 21-8, 21-14; D. P. Sampat beat S. H. Engineer, 21-18, 21-19; D. D. Walawalkar beat A. P. Vakeel, 21-13, 21-8; B. A Laljee beat H. J. Kapadia, 21-17, 20-22, 21-18, K.B. Nagarkatti beat B. K. Anandrao, 21-17, 17-21, 21-13; B. S. Poncha beat P. K. Joshi, 21-11, 13-21, 21-14; S. G. Wasanj beat D. H. Varde, 21-9, 21-18; D. M. Kamath beat A. I Jacob, 22-20, 21-17; C. G. Velkar beat S. Surendra, 21-19, 21-14; P. Abraham beat V. N. Sen, 21-14, 21-11; S. D.Wagh beat Y. Waghbakriwalla, 24-22, 21-27; R. V. Jaganath beat B. S. Santak, 17-21, 21-11, 21--15

MEN'S SINGLES

(Fourth Quarter)

SECOND ROUND: M. S. Varde beat A. S. Rao, 21-4, 21-10; M. M. Shinde beat Keshavrao 21-7, 21-17; V. S. Murdeshwar w.o. A. Khatau; D. Somaya beat S. Shah, 21-15, 21-15; P. Kumar beat R. V. Kanji, 21-2, 21-10; M. L. JParikh beat N. S. Writer, 12-21, 21-11, 21-17; N. N. Mulla beat Y. Krishnayya, 21-14, 21-15; V. V. Madgaonkar beat S. D. Manohar, 21-18, 16-21, 21-15; D. N. Bhatkal beat G. K. Kalambi, 21-9, 21-12; A. M. Chandrana beat B. Ranganath, 21-18, 21-15; Z J. Mugaseth beat R. D. Pusalkar, 21-17, 20-22, 21-15; R. B. Desai beat V. N. Vaidya, 21-19, 21-11; A. S. Amladi beat A. E. Pradhan, 21-12, 19-21, 21-13; K. K. Karanjia beat M. J. Nensey, 21-17, 21-16; N. J. Nensey beat M. I. Parker, 20-22, 22-20, 21-15; P. J. Amin beat G. Mascarenhas, 21-6, 18-21, 21-18.

TODAY'S MATCHES

3-30 p.m.—First and Second round of Juniors' Singles.

4-45 p.m.—First and Second round of the upper half of Junior's Singles.

6-00 p.m.—First round of Women's Singles.

7-00 p.m.—Third round of Men's Singles.

Australians' Last Match Drawn

MAINTAIN UNBEATEN RECORD

Don Bradman wound up his last tour of England with a century in the final first class match of the tour and at the same time had the satisfaction of knowing that his team, saf from defeat, was the first Australian touring side to remain unbeaten in England.

Bradman and Barnes, after a slow start against accurate bowling and keen fielding, added 187 runs in two hours today. After taking 30 minutes for ten runs, Bradman completed his 50 in 90 minutes and reached his century in two hours twenty minutes.

His feat in scoring a century in his last innings in first class cricket in England aroused the crowd of 15,000 to great enthusiasm. His second wicket partnership with Barnes realised 225 runs in two hours 35 minutes. The last 76 runs were scored in 25 minutes.

Barnes reached 51 in two and three-quarter hours, and then hit Bedser to the leg boundary and into the pavilion from successive balls. He completed his century in four hours ten minutes and celebrated this by driving spin bowlers Brown for two sixes in an over.

Trying another big hit, Barnes was caught on the long off boundary just on lunch time. He hit four sixes and 15 fours.

After the luncheon interval an unfortunate accident occurred to Loxton, who went in requiring 39 runs to complete 1,000 runs of the tour. He tried a big hit, lifted the ball on to his face, and retired with a broken nose

Quite appropriately Bradman was caught at cover point by Hutton when trying a big drive off Bedser. For the third time during the day he received an ovation from the large crowd.

Batting altogether three hours 10 minutes for 153, the highest innings of the match, he hit two sixes and 19 fours.

Although Australia led by 230 on Bradman's dismissal, they went on batting in carefree style, scoring fast. They raised their total to 489 for eight wickets by the tea interval when Bradman declared.

THE SCORE BOARD

Leverson — Gower's XI (First Innings) 177

Australians (First Innings)

Barnesc Yardley b Laker	151
Morris b Yardley	62
Bradman c Hutton b Bedser	153
Loxton retired hurt	12
Harvey b Brown	23
Lindwall c Evans b Brown	5
Miller c Evans b Bedser	1
Ian Johnson c Hutton b Brown	38
Tallon c Edrich b Bedser	2
Hassett not out	7
Bill Johnston not out	26
Extras	9
Total (for 8 wickets) declared	489

FALL OF WICKETS: 1 for 102; 2 for 327; 3 for 407; 4 for 412; 5 for 413; 6 for 431; 7 for 453 and 8 for 459.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Pritchard	19	4	60	0
Bedser	27	7	72	3
Laker	20	4	95	1
Brown	40	4	171	3
Robins	3	1	9	0
Yardley	13	2	56	1
Edrich	3	0	17	0

Leverson-Gower's (Second Innings)

Hutton lbw b Ian Johnson	27
Fishlock c Morris b Ian Johnson	26
Edrich not out	20
Donnelly not out	2
Extras	0
Total (for 2 wickets)	75

FALL OF WICKETS: 1 for 46 and 2 for 72.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Lindwall	2	0	11	0
Johnston	2	0	9	0
Harvey	4	1	14	0
Hassett	4	0	12	0
Johnson	7	4	12	2
Morris	6	1	15	0
Bradman	1	0	2	0

HANDSOME TROPHY FOR BRADMAN

LONDON, Sept. 10. (Reuter): Wiht shillings donated by Cricket lovers throughout the country "The People" newspaper has purchased a replica of the Warwick vase mounted on a silver plinth weighing nearly 380 ounces in solid silver.

This trophy will be presented to Don Bradman at a London Luncheon three days before the Australian team sails for Australia.

The Earl of Gowrie, President of the M.C.C., and Norman Yardley, the England Captain, will be among the many sporting personalities present.

At Bradman's request the balance of the money received will be used to lay concerte pitches for youngsters in public parks and playing fields.

KANGA LEAGUE

Fixtures For Sunday

BOMBAY, Friday

The following are the fixtures for the Kanga League Cricket matches to be played on Sunday, the 12th. September 1948.

At the Brabourne Stadium

C. C. I. vs Fort Vijay C. C.

At the Kennedy Seaface

P. J. Hindu Gymkhana vs. Navroz Cricket Club.

Islam Gymkhana vs. Jolly Cricketers

At the Bombay Gymkhana.

Bombay Gymkhana vs. Bandra Gymkhana.

AT the Azad Maidan

Baronet C. C. vs Bohra Cricketers

Gowd Saraswat C. C. vs. Maharashtra Young Cricketers.

Young Zoroastrian C. C. vs. Prabhu Young Cricketers

Parsee Cyclists vs. National C. C.

At Dadar (opp. Ruia College)

Dadar Young Sporting Union vs. Catholic Gymkhana

Dadar Parsi Colony S. C. vs Brothers Club.

SIMS BAGS 10 WKTS. IN ONE INNINGS

English Cricket Se: ion Ends

LONDON, Sept. 10 (Reuter): **On the last day of first class cricket in England this season, Jim Sims, the 44 year old Middlesex all rounder, took all ten wickets in an innings for east against west at kingston today.**

This play was the first of its kind this summer and Sims, during his 20 years career, has never previously obtained more than nine wickets in an innings. The ten wickets cost him only 90 runs out of a total of 179.

There has been talk of Sims retiring, but he stated that he may play in some games next season.

After his seat Sim's colleagues surrounded him on the ptich and offered congratulatons and the ball used in the innings may be presented to him.

The last player to dismiss all ten batsmen in an innings was Eric Hollies, of Warwicksnire, against Notmnghamshire at Birmingham in 1946 ..RESULT:

At kingston: East beat West by 223 runs. East 392 and 304 for 8 declared; West 294 and 179 (Sims 10 for 90).

PAREL FOOTBALL

BOMBAY, Friday.

Two matches were decided in the Junior Rovers Cup Football Tournament this evening at the St. Xaviers Ground Parel. In the earlier game Dockyard beat Mazagon Docks by four goals to one. Abraham,Kunchand 2 and Kundar scored for the winners while Phillips scored the only goal for losers.

In the second game Elphinstone Mills S. C. retired with a Comfortable victory over Cavenders S C. by five clear goals scored by I. Shroff, G. Amble H. Moreshwar 2 and Hiralal. Dockyard 4 (Abraham, Kunchand 2 and Kundar) Mazagon Dock 1 (Phillips). Elphinstone Mills 5 (I. Shroff, G. Amble, Hiralal and H. Moreshwar 2) Cavenders S. C. O.

In the third replay between B.B. & C.I. Rly and Lighting S. C. in the H.V. M. Cup played on the G.IP. Ground resulted in goallies.

Saturday's Matches.

St. Xaviers Ground Parel 3-30 p.m. Harkulkar XI vs. Siddarth S. Melao F. C. 4-30 p.m. Indian Gymkhana vs St. Xaxier's "A" 5-30 p.m. Wimco S. C. vs Bombay Amateurs.

NEW DELHI, Sept. 9, (UPI): A pleasant and homely function was held at 30, Ferozshah Road yesterday evening to falicitate Sri M. Ananthasayanam Ayyangar, a veteran parliamentarian and Secretary of the Congress Legislative Party, on his recent election as Deputy Speaker of the Dominion Parliament.

UNCONSIDERED PAIR TRIUMPHS OVER BHOPARDIKAR AND PATIL

Ferreira Eliminates Jaini To Enter Semi-Finals

BOMBAY, Friday.

C. P. Merchant and G. S. Kalyanpur, an unseeded and unconsidered pair, provided the first big upset of this year's Western India Badminton Tournament when they defeated Bhopardikar and Patil, a more than useful combination rendered somewhat formidable by their recent success in the Cricket Club of India's open badminton championship.

A consistent attack which had also the merit of being well-directed a splendid resolve not to be cowered by reputation and the happy position of being in a grand form enabled the short Merchant and his even shorter partner to overcome an opposition that appeared to have plenty in reserve when the last point of the first game was played. In this first game in which the winners eked out a bare score of six points, neither Merchant nor Kalyanpur gave even a vague and hazy conception of the plight that lay in store for their opponents. The second game marked an increase in the winners' attack which was to play so dominating a part in the decider.

Not for any length of time could Bhopardikar or Patil settle down to the stormy and pulvarising attack which enabled them snatch the CCI title from Davinder and Lewis. Every time the shuttle went high in the air either Kalyanpur or Merchant sent it crashing acrosss the net giving their opponents little chance of retrieving it, for with speed the winners also combined direction. The onslaught of the unseeded pair might have been lessened, for it is certain that it could never have been stemmed, had Patil afforded adequate support to his partner. For indeed, Patil repeatedly faulted at crucial points, his mistiming of occasional lobs being quite disconcerting to his partner.

The tie between Jaini and Ferreira in the quarter-finals of the men's singles event roused hopes of a keen, if not also of a close encounter. But the promise that Jaini held out when he claimed the first set after being down by 5-8, failed to materialise in the subsequent games during which Ferreira did little that was effectively countered by the Delhi player. Weak in his smashing, Jaini restored to drop when he had to deal with high lobs, and as they proved easy picking for Ferreira Jaini was beaten long before the final point was decided.

Delhi was far more fortunate in the other quarter-final. Charanjit conceded but four points, all of them in the second set, in accounting for Agaskar, whose victory over Amritlal becomes even more inexplicable by his performance against Charanjit.

Another match which deserves mention was the tie between Miss Moloobhoy and Dinker Rao and Mrs. Lewis and Davinder Mohan. After being outplayed in the first set in which he scored but four points, Dinker Rao once again found his drives and won the second game over the extra points although he was leading towards the close. In the third set Mrs. Lewis became a determining factor by failing to afford her partner the support he so badly needed, and although Davinder levelled up matters at 13, Dinker Rao asked for a game of two straight points and finished the match with a deep and well-placed drive.

Some disappointment was caused due to the absence of Prakash Nath and Ashok Nath who conceded a walk-over to the opponents owing to the illness of the latter.

MIXED DOUBLES

Miss S. Moloobhoy and S. Dinker Rao beat Mrs. Lewis and Davinder Mohan 4-15 18-13 15-13.

MEN'S DOUBLES

P. V. Kulkarni and S. G. Pendurkar beat N. W. Dukle and N. W. Dukle 15-4 8-15 18-13; K. M. Rangnekar and S. R. Ruia w.o. Prakash Nath and Ashok Nath; M. Guha and S. Bose beat R. A. Dongre and M. Mangalvedekar 17-16 15-13; G. P. Shirke and S. Dinker Rao beat R. B. Bhargav and S. E. Patil 15-1 15-12; G. S. Kalyanpur and C. P. Merchant beat M. S. Patil and M. K. Bhopardikar 6-15 15-11 15-9; G. Lewis and Davinder Mohan beat A. V. Ullal and H. K. Talyarkhan 15-12 15-6; S. S. Nerurkar and T. Fernandes beat M. S. Shirgaokar and R. S. Bethangadi 16-17 15-2 15-7; B. D. Shroff and H. Ferreira beat S. L. Jaini and J. Charanjit 15-9 15-9.

MEN'S SINGLES

B. D. Shroff beat A. G. Kalyanpur 15-11 15-5.

QUARTER-FINALS: J. Charanjit beat B. R. Agaskar 15-0 15-4; H. Ferreira beat S. L. Jaini 10-15 15-4 15-4.

SATURDAY'S MATCHES:

CENTRE COURT: 4-30 Miss R. Vimadalal vs. Miss M. Taylor 4-50 Miss S. H. Vakeel vs. Miss P. Paul 5-10 V. A. Madgavkar and C. B. Kalappa vs. S. S. Nerurkar and T. Fernandes 5-30 Davinder Mohan vs. B. D. Shroff 5-50 H. K. Talyarkhan vs. G. Lewis 6-10 H. Ferreira and Miss B. Farias vs. G. P. Shirke and Miss S. Nigudkar 6-30 A. G. Kalyanpur and Miss S. Phansalkar vs. M. K. Bhopardikar and Miss T. Vakeel 6-50 B. V. Ullal and D. G. Mugwe vs. P. V. Kulkarni and S. G. Pendurkar 7-10 G. P. Shirke and S. Dinker Rao vs. G. Lewis and Davinder Mohan 7-30 S. S. Nerurkar and Miss H. N. Dubash vs. M. S. Patel and Miss K. Shirodkar.

My Love Still Firm Favourite For Saint Leger

RECORD CROWDS EXPECTED

FROM VERNON MORGAN REUTER'S SPORTS EDITOR.

DONCASTER, Sept. 10 (Reuter)—A tumultous welcome from the warm hearted Yorkshire people awaits the King and Queen when they arrive from their Scottish castle in the highlands to this busy industrial town tomorrow to watch the oldest of Britain's classics, The Saint Lager.

Doncaster has not had a reigning monarch to watch its own "Derby" run on the historic town moor since 1909.

For sentimental reasons many will becking the King's filly, Angelola, the only horse of her sex in the field, for win and place but she will have to do much better than her previous best if she is to catch the judges eye.

None really expects to see the hot favourite the Epsom Derby winner My Love, beaten, but many supposed certainties have lost and as the favourites price is so short the locals and other punters elsewhere are looking for something at a betteh price to make a bit of money.

Some fancy the Aga Khan's second string (he has a half share in My Love which will carry his colours) Noor and others the American-breed Black Tarquin, a stable companion to the King's filly, and yet others the Epsom trained Solar Slipper, who is the tip of the many Irishmen that have come over for the race, because he was sired by the unbeaten Irish horse Windsor Slipper.

Those who want something around the twenty to one mark for their money are supporting the stable companions, Alycidon and Ottoman, the French-bred Vic Day, Captain Fox and Count Rendered.

If there is to be a surprise Alycidon might be the one to do it as he is a particularly stout-hearted colt and has numbered among his victims this year Sayajirao, who won last year's St. Leger. A topical tip, in view of the King's presence, will be Royal Drake, runner up to My Love in the Epsom Derby.

The favourite, My Love, is wonderfully well, and as his French trainer Richard Carver said this morning "I am completely satisfied with My Love. He would be better suited by more yielding going, but he is wonderfully well in himself and I am hopeful that he will win."

The going for tomorrow's mile and a three-quarters battle is likely to be on the firm side which will not be to the liking of the connections of Solar Slipper who were hoping for yielding going. While My Love looks a certainty the question of which horse will follow him home is not so even but majority of backers seem to pin their faith in the upstanding Black Tarquin and Noor, who supporters say is sure to be concerned in the finish especially as champion jockey Gordon Richards will be on his back.

No jockey will be keener to win than the Australian-born "Togo" Johnstones who rides My Love.

If he wins, he will have accomplished the unparalleled feat of winning the British, French and Irish Derbies, the French Grand Prix, the Saint Leger, as well as several other major races in one season.

Doncaster today is packed to overflowing and a record crowd of 250,000 is expected on the town moor for tomorrow's race, for which there is a record first prize of over £15,000.

The Aga Khan has decided to start a third runner in Somali, bringing the field up to 14 probables as follows:

My Love (W. Johntone), Royal Drake (T. Weston), Noor (Gordon Richard), Black Tarquin (E. Britt), Solar Slipper (E. Smith), Alycidon (Douglas Smith), Vic Day (Michel Beary), Count Rendered (W. Nevett), Captain Fox (E. Elliott), Ottoman (T. Lowrey), Julian (H. Packham), Somali (T. Burn), Usher (H. Gunn), Angelola (T. Burns).

BURMAH SHELL'S NARROW WIN

Rover's Cup Football

BOMBAY, Friday.

Burmah Shell	**1**
Indian Gymkhana	**0**

A solitary goal by inside right Ganpat during the second half gave the Burmah Shell s.c. a very narrow victory over the Indian Gymkhana in the Rover's Cup at the Cooperage this evening.

The match was scrappy almost throughout and good moves were exceedingly rare. Neither side appeared to have any set plan and the ball was often kicked about in an aimless manner.

The Teams:

BURMAH SHELL: — Jacob C. D'Souza and Angelo, Napolean Cruz and Anthony, Noronha, Ganpat Moorthy, More and A. P. Fernandes.

INDIAN GYMKHANA:— Prameshwar, K. Swamy and Narayanan, Ravan, Chellappa nd Karunan Raghavan, Rao, Gerrard Guruswami and Sunderam.

Saturday evening at 5-35 p.m. South India vs Goa (Second Replay).

CERDAN FORFEITS TITLE

Failure To Honour Contract

PARIS, Sept. 10 (UPA): Marcel Cerdan was sripped of his French middleweight title today for failure to fulfill a contract against W. Krawzyck, rated as French challenger.

Cerdan, training at Loch Sheldrake New York, failed to appear by noon today to fulfill the contract and the French Boxing Federation declared the French title open.

Cerdan still holds the European middle-weight title.

British Sport Needs Young Blood

IMPORTANCE OF PRACTICE STRESSED

LONDON, Sept. 10, (Reuter): Accent is definitely on youth in every sphere of sport and defeat seems to bring out the cry louder than ever. British golf has suffered an almost total eclipse during the past two seasons with America winning the three international trophies(Walker cup, Ryder cup and Curtis cup respectively for amateurs professionals and women while for two years America has won the womens championship and American holds the amateur title. It is realised that if British folf is to come int oits own again youth must be considered now. The game must be fostered among the youngest players and if possible it must be taught in schools under competent teachers just as are football and cricket. More interest is being shown in the junior championships boys and girls for it is realised that players in those events today are the champions and international stars of tomorrow.

The same can be said about lawn tennis. Various junior meetings are being followed with keen interest and already some likely players have been earmarked for further consideration and if they are taken in hand now they will certainly develop into senior stars within a year or two.

This problem is an international one, not only British and competent authorities in Australia are learning from the Davis cup defeat their country sustained that new blood is necessary. Concentration on young players with F. Sedgman at the key is the obvious step for Australia in their ing to Sir Norman Brookes president light to regain the Davis cup accord- of the lawn tennis association of Australia and he mentioned six or eight other young players from whom a worthy team would come within a year or two.

Getting the youngsters of course is not everything. Once fostered they will need to practice and jack Crawford one of Australia's most famous players of the past said in a broadcast after the Davis cup defeat that practice was essential. He alleged that it had been neglected by players recently and that the stength of American lawn tennis lay in the manner in which their players practiced.

The whole future of international sport, therefore, would seem to lie at the door of youth.

Fairway Colt Sold For 10,000 Guineas

DONCASTER, Sept. 10 (Reuter) Total aggregate for this weeks sales of throughbred yearlings was 524,670 guineas, compared with last year's record figure of 597,725 guineas.

Although the average was slightly down, breeders from England and Ireland agreed that bloodstock still maintains its high value.

Today's aggregate was 64,150 guineas for 48 lots, averaging 1,336 guineas. Today's top price was 10,000 guineas paid by Miss Dorothy Paget for a Fairway colt out of Thoughtful.

The Bombay Chronicle

In a free country there is much clamour with little suffering; in a despotic state there is little complaint but much suffering.

—CARUOT

"WE MARCH"

Speaking at a press conference at New Delhi, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru remarked that the Nizam had only sent a formal acknowledgement to the request for re-stationing Union troops in Secunderabad, adding significantly that whatever the reply of His Exalted Highness was Indian forces would enter Hyderabad and Secunderabad. He could not naturally disclose the exact day of such entry but the indications were that it was likely to be soon. Pandit Jawaharlal was concerned to point out that the Union's contemplated action was political not communal and he warned the public that any attempt to make communal capital out of it would be ruthlessly put down. It would certainly gladden the enemies of India if the march into Hyderabad was signalised by communal disturbances in India and there are likely to be instigations, some of them less crude than the proddings of Sir Mahomed Zafrullah. The care with which the Governments in India are proceeding to keep the communal side down is indicated by the searches and scrutinies that have been carried out in recent weeks. The public has no reason to feel that communalists will be able to exploit the situation with impunity. There has been a clamour for drastic action against Hyderabad. Pandit Jawaharlal himself has referred to the unrest that has been growing over Government's excessive patience. Now that action has been decided upon, there is every need for closing the ranks and standing solid behind the Government. Accession which has always seemed inevitable to us in India, is brought very near by the attitude of the Government of India; and, though the weeks of action will be troublous weeks, they will undoubtedly be shortened by the sanity and restraint of the Indian people. The prophets of despair who have predicted bloodbaths and catastrophes, will be proved false.

The quarrel with Hyderabad has not been of our seeking or making. On the contrary, despite every effort to meet the Hyderabad fears, the Nizam and his advisers have persistently sought to force an issue. By seeking an "independence" in which the people of Hyderabad were denied a share, the Nizam opposed the evil of an autocratic regime against the growing forces of Democracy. Even to the last letter of the Governor-General, the Union was prepared to humour the Nizam within more than reasonable limits. "In any political solution, your prestige and position will be safeguarded", wrote Rajaji—an assurance which was also a warning. But it has apparently failed to persuade the Nizam. Nor has the example of other Indian rulers who, reading the signs, acceded to the Union, proved any more successful in bringing home to His Exalted Highness the folly of obstructing a natural development. In the circumstances, the Union Government have the choice of two alternatives: Either to tolerate a perpetual feudal island in its midst, trusting to the people of Hyderabad to win through in the end; or to help them immediately with relief from the terror that has fallen on them. The first would have been a contemptible betrayal that would earned the Government of India the scorn of all progressive people. It would have led directly to lawlessness and anarchy in India and a determined revolt, from which the second would have immediately followed. As a Government of the Indian people, the Government of India had no option but to take the second course themselves. "We march," said Pandit Jawaharlal at the press conference, giving in two short words the verdict of the Government and the nation. And in this decision, India can count on the support of the Hyderabad people who in their suffering millions await deliverance. The Nizam may well tremble at the Frankenstein's monster that he has raised.

Agrarian Reforms

Of the various official Bills to be introduced in the Bombay Legislative Assembly, which began its Poona session on Friday, not the least important is the one to amend the Law relating to tenancies of agricultural lands. Referring yesterday to the Agricultural Ministers' Conference at Delhi, we pointed out that the various irregational and other facilities provided by Government would fail to yield adequate results unless the tenancy laws were so improved as to induce the tenant to put forth his best efforts to ensure maximum production. Realising this, the last Bombay Ministry sponsored the Bombay Tenancy Act of 1939 which sought to improve the conditions of tenants of agricultural lands while protecting the legitimate interests of landlords. The working of this Act, amended in 1946, disclosed a number of difficulties due to the variety of tenures, customs and usages prevailing in the different parts of the province. Accordingly the present Bill repeals the Act of 1939 but retains its useful provisions. If in fact embodies a new liberal policy of agrarian reforms "to achieve improved production and agricultural efficiency, at the same time safeguarding the interests of the ryots".

The main provisions of the Bill refer to the duration of tenancy, maximum rent, prohibition of receiving rent in terms of service or labour, and the special rights of protected tenants. One of the most beneficent provisions is the clause which fixes the maximum rate of rent at one-third and one-fourth of the total produce in the case respectively of non-irrigated and irrigated lands. This is certainly a generous concession to the tenant, evidently meant to induce him to make every possible attempt to ensure maximum production. Another concession to the tenant is the recognition of his right to the produce and wood of trees planted by him and to the produce of trees naturally grown on the land during his tenancy. A more valuable right is accorded to the protected tenant, who can purchase his holding at a reasonable price if such tenant does not possess 50 acres of land or if by his purchasing the holding the land belonging to the landlord is not reduced to less than 50 acres. In view of these and many other rights the tenant is expected to make the best use of the land and if "without sufficient cause" he fails to produce in a year a minimum yield, his tenancy may be terminated. Such a provision is necessary to ensure reasonable production.

The Bill on the whole is justly generous to the tenants, while safeguarding agricultural efficiency and the legitimate rights of the landlords. Many landlords have complained that the Tenancy Act of 1946 pampered the tenants and sacrificed the landlords and that in this respect the new Bill is much worse. The criticism is most unfair. If any landlord feels that the Bill concedes too much to the tenants, he can get all the latter's concessions by cultivating his land himself by his own labour or by the labour of any number of his family or by servants on wages. For an educated landlord to cultivate his own land with hired labour, as and when necessary, is a profitable service to the country and remedies all the evils of the present dual proprietorship or control of land. One of the specific objectives of the Bill is "to create and encourage peasant proprietorships in respect of holdings of suitable sizes". The Bill provides ample opportunities to the landlords as well as the tenants to become peasant proprietors. It behoves them to seize the opportunities speedily.

JUDGES AND PHYSICAL FITNESS

It is true that qualities of the head are not the only qualities with which a judge should be endowed. Qualities of the heart too go to make a good judge. Men not too lavishly endowed by Nature with qualities of the head, yet possessing noble qualities of the heart, have been known to make good judges, and "who can say that goodness is not as high a virtue as greatness." But of all the qualities necessary for success in a judicial career, physical fitness is comparatively the least important. It is indeed an irony that when judges are appointed to any Court, other than the High Court the only "test" they are made to undergo is the test of a medical examination. In our opinion the only physical disability which could possibly impede the due discharge of his duties by a judge would be his being stone deaf—a fact which would be so notorious as to require no medical examination whatever. Other disabilities or diseases (unless they be infectious or contagious) even of a far more serious nature, would hardly come in the way of a judicial career. And yet a case recently arose in which a man was disqualified from a judicial appointment solely on the ground that he was suffering from high blood pressure .It is one thing to subject to a physical test candidates for the Civil or Administrative Services in which the appointees would have to go through a hard life in remote, God-forsaken corners of the country. Moreover, when these conditions upndergo a physical test they are just past their teens and therefore in the prime fo health. A mechanical extension of this rule to judicial appointments in the city is as much a mockery as would be its application to the selection of High Court judges or Cabinet Ministers. Indeed we fail to see how a man could be considered fit to be a judge of the highest courts of the country even though he must be suffering from high blood pressure and yet be disqualified from subordinate judicial appointment on account of the same malady.

Shoebullah Khan's Murder

Dr. Raj Bahadur Gour has issued the following statement on behalf of the Communist Party, Hyderabad City committee:—

"The Communist Party condemns the outrageous murder of Mr. Shoebullah Khan by armed marauders who are reported to be the Razakars of the locality.

The leader of Razakars, Qasim Razvi, has repeatedly declared that the hands that rises against him would be cut away and his followers are putting the command in action.

This murder must be a warning and an eye-opener to all patriots and lovers of democracy and freedom. The Razakar's terror campaign in the districts was already reaching menacing heights. And this even within a week of the Bolarum outrage in the heart of the metropolis must help to unmask the real fascist character of the organisation. The Razakar organisation cannot be seperated from the Monarcho-Fascist order that has created them to serve as a bulwark of reaction.

SKELETONS IN IMPERIAL CUPBOARDS

"Iron Curtain" On Colonies

(From Our Correspondent)

LONDON—Britain is undoubtedly one of the few sane countries left in the present crazy world. But the statement issued by the Colonial Office on Saturday evening and published in the press under the heading "HANDS OFF OUR COLONIES", is not calculated to enhance her reputation as a country to which iron-curtains are repugnant. Undoubtedly Britain has been subjected to severe criticism in international assemblies on her administration of the colonies. Some of the criticism is, perhaps inspired by the desire of certain powers to discredit Britain. But it will be wrong to say that every critic of British administration is guilty of malicious nagging. The Colonial Office claims that Britain's record in colonial administration is highly creditable. But this does not mean that there is little room for amelioration. In fact there is great room for reform, urgent reform, which, if delayed, might affect the welfare of millions of people in the colonies. The tendency to brand all U. N. discussion of British colonial problem as intolerable and impudent is not healthy and Britain's decision not to submit her management of colonies for international discussion will only provide ammunition to her detractors that she is keeping skeletons in the cupboard.

There are eight colonial powers including Britain, which have "non-self governing territories". Each of the Powers, under the charter of the United Nations, is pledged to promote by all practicable means the social, political, economic and educational advancement of colonial population with a view to developing self-government and free political institutions. The Colonial Powers also undertook to submit to the United Nations "for information purposes, subject to such limitation as security and constitutional considerations may require, statistical and other information of technical nature relating to economic, social and educational conditions in the areas for which they are responsible." There has been more than one dispute over the definition and scope of this clause. The British Colonial Office does not repudiate the obligation to promote the cause of self-government in the colonies, but argues that the undertaking of this general obligation does not impose on Britain any duty to render an account of her stewardship to the United Nations nor is the United Nations Organisation entitled to hold an inquest on colonial affairs which are entirely a domestic affairs of the Empire. The Colonial Office is also not prepared to submit political and constitutional information to the United Nations. Those, who do not accept this interpretation of the obligation which the Colonial Powers undertook, argue that they are entitled to know what each Colonial Power is doing to advance the objectives of the Charter, namely development of self-government institutions in the colonies under its care.

Britain's Indefensible Attitude

Undoubtedly the language of the clause is faulty and leaves a loophole to a Colonial Power to refuse to supply political and constitutional information. But it should be remembered that were Colonial Powers to refuse to submit reports for discussion by the U.N.O., the whole thing would be reduced to a farce and the obligation undertaken by the Colonial Powers rendered useless. Britain might have got a legitimate complaint that her critics are maliciously harsh. But the attitude she has decided to adopt in this matter, namely keep colonial affairs outside the jurisdiction of U.N. may result in setting in motion processes that might lead to the destruction of an organisation which has been created to make this world a better place to live in, an ideal to the promotion of which Britain professes to be deeply devoted.

There is fear in the mind of British administrators that under the instigation of the Soviet Union nations are making an attempt to get British colonies under international trusteeship. The fear has no basis whatsoever. Undoubtedly the Soviet Union and other countries would like all colonies to be under international trusteeship, but under the Charter no nation is obliged to put a colony or dependency under trusteeship. If Britain does not want international trusteeship for her colonies, the United Nations cannot force her to do so. Of course, attempts have been made in the past, and attempts will be made in the future, to broaden the scope of the obligation by means of resolutions. Will not Britain's imposing an iron curtain on Colonies give renewed impetus to these attempts?

It is claimed by the Colonial Office that Britain's record in colonial administration is highly creditable. This opinion may not be shared by all. But there is little doubt that Britain will easily be voted as the best of the Colonial Powers. Lands, which were dependencies before, have attained independence and elsewhere representative institutions have been extended, though very slowly. Angry Britishers point out that Guatemala "that little place in he sun which has her pop-guns out after British Honduras, has an infant death-rate of 135 deaths against 80 in the territory she wants to take over." There might not have been "single list elections", points out the Conservative "DAILY TELEGRAPH", as, for instance, in the Kureile Islands, where a Soviet admiral was "unanimously elected" as a cherished parliamentary representative, but "in its regard for the general well-being and advancement of undeveloped peoples, in its concern for their essential rights, the British colonial administration compares very favourably with systems in comparable areas which purport to be fully self-governing." Indeed, if all the Conservative journal says is true, why should Britain be reluctant to face an international examination of her stewardship?

FRANKLY SPEAKING

Chulam Abbas' Bluster

Chaudhuri Ghulam Abbas, puppet head of the fictitious "Azad Kashmir Government", has declared that the "cease fire" proposal of the United Nations Commission is unacceptable to it. The belated reaction suggests that he is speaking under instructions from his masters at Karachi. Ghulam Abbas' acceptance or rejection matters little. The Pakistan Government had virtually told the UN Commission that the "Azad Kashmir Government" was but a limb of the Pakistan Government. So far as the Indian people are concerned, they will receive the bluster of Ghulam Abbas with a sigh of relief. It saves the Union Government from acceptance of an impossible position to which they had agreed in their zeal for peace. If the UN Commission had the capacity to see the Kashmir situation with the necessary detachment, it would realise the folly of seeking to treat India and Pakistan on an equal footing. It is not the first time that an international organisation has come up against a nation controlled by a clique with whom there can be no business; nor will it be the first time that organisation persisted in trying to win over a clique by concessions which later failed of their purpose. If the UN Commission and the UN Security Council refuse to face facts, that is no reason why India should follow them in their folly.

Zafrullah's Impertinence

Sir Mahomed Zafrullah indulged in a flagrant impertinence in his address to Karachi journalists when he said that Union action against Hyderabad would create communal trouble in India which will spread far and wide and have consequences many times more disastrous than the occurrences in the East and West Punjab. Sir Mahomed forgets that he has his own State to look after and that it is proving as much as he can manage. He wants to assume responsibility for Indian Muslims as well who have already repudiated him and the works of the party he stands for. The Muslim Indian wants nothing more than that he should be left alone in his own country. Sir Mahomed wants to offer him as a sacrifice to Pakistan's love of mischief and deceit. Why should the Union's effort to restore Law and Order in Hyderabad rouse the opposition of Muslims in the Union—Muslims too who have insisted that Hyderabad is wrong in asserting its false independence? Syed Kasim Razvi tried to set himself up as a leader of Muslims in India only to be told that he would be wise to control himself. Sir Mahomed Zafrullah is not likely to achieve any more success. He will only succeed in making endless difficulties for the people for whom he professes so much concern. Muslim Indians would be bereft of all political sense to allow themselves to be made tools in the hands of self-seeking communalists who do not even propose to share their problems with them.

A British Outburst

At the United Nations Committee which is discussing in Geneva the future of non-self-governing territories, the British Government's delegate, Mr. Fletcher-Cooke, appears to have given a striking exhibition of anger over certain Indian proposals. Mr. Fletcher-Cooke's outburst was a natural representation of the Imperialist spirit; but it was unworthy of democratic principles which the British profess. Observing that he was not a prisoner in a dock, Mr. Fletcher-Cooke declared: "if I have in earlier debates answered some of the charges made by the Soviet delegate, it is because the British Government do not want such malicious statements to stand unchallenged." There it is possible to sympathise with the British delegate. Big Power relations have deteriorated to such a degree that where there should have been normal exchanges of amiable sentiments there are invariably heated bandyings of "malicious" statements. This is common to both sides. But neither Soviet malice towards Britain nor British malice towards the Soviet Union should be allowed to obscure principles or affect the justice of a cause.

Classic Hypocrisy

India proposed a plan for increasing United Nations supervision of colonial administration. What is sinful or outrageous in this? It is merely an attempt to secure the vindication in practice of certain admitted principles of democracy and of obligations to the "backward." The fact that they are supposed to be "backward" and have to be protected against exploitation and have also to be helped to freedom demands supervision over the activities and conduct of the guardian in relation to the helpless ward. Temptations for the guardian are implicit in that very helplessness. Those temptations have to be guarded against. And some measure of international supervision is the only effective influence in that direction. If the British are not animated by a guilty conscience they should not only not oppose this supervision but should doubly welcome it, first in loyalty to human and democratic obligations and secondly in order to ensure the protection of their weaker Imperialist brethren from temptations. Unfortunately they only fly into a temper which is hardly a proof of innocence or of worth as guardians of the backward. Moreover, they completely destroy the veneer of righteousness when they insist through their delegate that the natives would resent any supervision over unchecked control by the British. The argument is familiar to Asia and Africa and a great many honest Western democrats as a classic hypocrisy. One instance will suffice. There have been a whole lot of Britishers till recently and there are some even now who have blandly asserted that the "natives" of India, Burma and Ceylon wanted nothing better than the rule of the British over them and that they resented every demand by "native" political leaders for freedom.

Down With Excommunication

Enlightened public opinion will wholeheartedly welcome the Bombay Government's Bill to stop the practice of excommunication, making the excommunication of members of any community void. Not very long ago eminent Hindu social reformers were excommunicated for such frivolous reasons as dining with non-Hindus or even with Hindus of so-called lower castes or for travelling to foreign countries. In one "progressive" Brahmin community, many were excommunicated for nothing more than inter-dining with persons of another Brahmin community. They were offered to be taken back into their community if they performed a penance but many of them refused to perform the penance; nay, many more openly supported the excommunicated persons by inter-dining with them or otherwise. These, too, were then excommunicated and the process continued till very few were left in the community unexcommunicated. The evil of excommunication is not very common now but it persists in some communities, particularly in the smaller towns and villages. The Bill in question, though a little belated, is still necessary.

More Wells

The Government of Saurashtra is understood to have decided, in view of the failure of the monsoon this year, to construct some 800 wells throughout the State. It is a cruel irony that some parts of the same country have too much water and others too little, jeopardising the lives of many in either case. A good way to avert both these calamities is to draw a number of canals from rivers. But this engineering problem has not so far received the attention it deserves. Even in respect of the much simpler task of digging wells, the need for them is not fully realised till water scarcity is imminent. The people are too apt to forget the adage that it is unwise to begin digging a well when the house is on fire. India needs far more wells and tanks to provide the first necessary of life. If we make a judicious use of the ample rain water that we get, we can raise ample food too.

OUR READERS VIEWS

Beggars

Sir,—The question of beggars and especially Muslim beggars in the streets of Bombay in general and in Muslim localities in particular, has become so acute that it is impossible for any gentleman to have a sound sleep throughout the night.

I myself am the victim of this nuisance which is uncalled for.

Beggars generally start begging throughout the day and right up throughout the whole night. The irritation is caused to the brain especially in the early hours of the morning when beggars with their drums and peculiar loud voices invade the streets. This they do right up from 3 a.m. to 10 a.m. Not satisfied with only street begging, they boldly go right up to th estaircases of every building that comes acros them and they do not hesitate climbing 4th and the 5th floors of the buildings and knocking at the doors of the inmates of the houses.

This state of affairs, no longer can be tolerated in one of the greatest industrial cities of the world, where people after a long day's worries wish to have a nap for a few hours after 10 or say 111.—Yours, etc.,

M. G. SALMIN.

A Word To Nizam

Sir,— "Accede to the Indian Union" is the cry of 45 million Indian Muslims. The Nizam can join the Union and strengthen the Indian Union and thus become its honoured and respected citizen, or become a thorn in the flesh of the Indian Union by continuing the present policy which will lead him to ruin and disaster.

Everyday we hear of atrocities committed by Razakars, who are following the same tactics as the Nazis, against our Hindu brethren and unless the Nizam puts an end to these atrocities, the Indian Muslims will be the first to fight against him.

Do not create a nation within a nation, men like Gandhiji and Brigadier Usman have proved to the world that the two-nation theory is a hoax. In these days of free Democracy, the Nizam is carrying on a most despotic government, and seems to forget that the days of despotism are over. If he establishes a democratic Government and joins the Indian Union, he will have earned a place of dignity in the Indian Union. Lest he should forget, I am reminding him of what Lincoln said, "That Government of the people, by the people and for the people shall not perish from the earth."—Yours etc.

GHULAM ALI HABIB

Gandhi Memorial Fund

Sir,—About the collection of Mahatma Gandhi National Memorial Fund I find that nothing much is being done and the collection work has been very slow owing to a number of reasons I appeal to all those people who really loved and revered the Mahatma and who would like to enshrine his memory to donate whatever they possibly can even in these days of grave financial stress. I would appeal specially to all the Theatre artistes all over India to organise and conduct shows for this great cause as the Prithvi Theatres for the last 4 years has been collecting funds after every performance for important National causes. And those programmes given in aid of this cause should be entirely based on preaching unity and brotherhood that was preached to us by the great preacher himself. Let us line up to his expectations even in his death.—Yours etc.

PREM NATH MALHOTRA.

TETE-A-TETE

WITHOUT COMMENT

HYDERABAD (Dn.), Sept. 9.—"All taxi cabs, buses and public carriers are to be virtually commandeered for Government use from September 15, when a new Government notification takes effect.

The notification stated that Government had decided to "hire most of these vehicles for Government purposes," and that owners who did not produce their vehicles for hiring "will have no claim for motor fuel." Vehicles are to be produced before the State Rationing Board by September 15.—API.

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Sir Md. Zafrullah Khan has declared that "Pakistan is under no obligation, international or otherwise, that prevents her from sending her troops to Kashmir."

We fully agree. In fact, we have never denied that Pakistan is above all obligation, international or otherwise.

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Pakistan, Sir Zafrullah explains, moved her troops "in certain defensive positions" only in May last to check a further advance of the Indian forces in a direction which would bring them into direct contact with the Pakistan frontier.

The logic is unassailable. But what is worrying us is that Indian and Pakistan frontiers are already in direct contact for over a thousand miles. We do hope Pakistan does not realise it and move her troops in certain defensive positions on Indian territory in order to keep the Indian forces away from direct contact with the Pakistan frontier. Amen.

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By the way, the reason why the "movement" of troops, which happened, according to Sir Zafrullah, in May, was not revealed for three months was because he informed the members of the U.N. Commission "at the very first physical contact" he had with them in July

You see, the information could not possibly be communicated to the U.N. Secretariat or the Security Council or even the Commission when it was created, by cable, etc. could it? The matter, you will agree, was so delicate that it could only be whispered into the ears of the U.N. Commission on "physical contact" being made between the Members and Sir Md. Zafrullah.

And please don't laugh. We are not amused by you.

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According to Sir Md. Zafrullah, Pakistan had not recognised the "Azad Kashmir Government" so far though its non-recognition had many disadvantages for Pakistan.

One of them being that Pakistan was forced to make its July confession even though strictly into the ears of the U.N. Commission members.

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Mr. Syed Abdur Rauf Shah, President of the C.P. Muslim League, says: "The Indian Union Muslim League is an independent body and it does not look for guidance or inspiration to Pakistan or to any other quarter".

Somebody must have been talking to the simple-minded naive old man.

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Mr. Charles Te Water, South Africa's Roving Ambassador Extraordinary who recently arrived in London, called on Mr. V. Krishna Menon, Indian High Commissioner, at India House on Wednesday.—News Item.

It is not clear whether Mr. Te Water brought at least his own whiteman's chair to sit on.

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Prominent Negro leaders have told the United States Defence Secretary that racial segregation in the armed forces was "intolerable to the people of a free country".

Since, as everybody knows, racial non-segregation in the armed forces as in everything and everywhere else is intolerable to THE free people of the free United States, the principle the Negro leaders have sought to lay down is demonstrably false.

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Washington report: "We are still standing up for our rights in Berlin", President Truman said in a firm voice at his press conference.

We like that word "still" and applaud President Truman in a firm voice.

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"We will not", declared President Truman, "negotiate under duress. We are not negotiating under duress and we will continue negotiating.....".

Printer, please don't change "and" into "but"; it will ruin the artistic beauty of the sentence.

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Mr. Marshall further reiterated America's insistence that she would not "negotiate under duress".

But only in the freedom of umpteen calls on the Kremlin-Stalin and Molotov agreeing.

In the OPEN AIR

An unusual visitor appeared in my garden this morning. Of course the House Crows abound here, but today I saw a crow rather larger in size than the usual, and when I looked a second time I realised that it was not one of our common grey-necked house crows but the rarer Jungle Crow, which, as its name implies, normally prefers life in the jungle to the life of the city. The Jungle Crow is uniformly black in colour, with a sheen of steely blue as the sun shines on its plumage, and it is definitely more aristocratic in appearance than its more homely domestic relative. I have often watched these birds in the jungle when the silk cotton trees are in bloom, drinking down great sips of honey from the rose-coloured blossoms, and they seem much more in their element in those surroundings than near the abodes of men.

D. B.

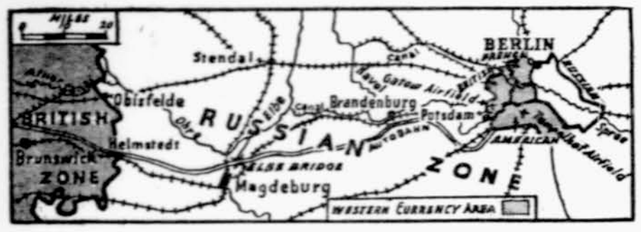
SOVIET BOMBERS' MOCK FIGHT OVER BERLIN

Bevin Reports To British Cabinet On Latest German Development

BERLIN, Sept. 10 (UPA)—Soviet bombers droned overhead today for more than five minutes at a very high altitude.

Shortly after they passed fighters in considerable numbers came overhead and from the sounds were diving and engaging in mock dog fights above the Allied Control Authority building where the Air Safety Centre is located.

The UPA adds: Latest reports showed one German was killed and seven wounded when Soviet troops and police fired into the anti-Communist demonstration in the British sector yesterday.



So serious was the situation that Western officials remained in night-long contact with their home governments.

The Soviet-controlled Berlin press, meanwhile, announced plans for a "monster" demonstration in memory of the victims of Fascism Sunday to show to the world that the Communists are stronger in Berlin than the 300,000 anti-Communists who demonstrated before the Reichstag yesterday.

RUSSIAN REQUEST TURNED DOWN

BERLIN, Sept. 10 (Reuter)—United States air authorities in Berlin rejected today a Russian request that details of all American flights to and from the capital should be passed to the Russians one hour before take off.

The request stated that Russian aircraft were at present flying "in all parts of the Soviet zone", and said advance information would "protect the safety of Soviet and American planes in the corridor."

British and French authorities were already supplying such details, it added.

Russian authorities in Berlin were reported tonight to be preparing a protest to the British authorities about yesterday's incidents in the British-Soviet sector boundary during which a red flag was torn down and Russians were stoned by a anti-Communist mob.

WESTERN ENVOYS CONFER

MOSCOW, Sept. 10 (UPA)—The Western Envoys who presumable received new instructions from their governments, conferred today.

It was reported that they likely would request another meeting with Russia's V. M. Molotov for discussions of the Berlin situation as well as the forthcomng Conferences of Foreign Ministers on the Italian Colonies.

BEVIN'S REPORT TO BRITISH CABINET

LONDON, Sept. 10 (Reuter)—Mr. Bevin is understood to have given the British Cabinet today a full statement on Germany covering the deadlock in the Military Governor's Conference and the situation in the German capital.

Mr. Attlee who came specially from ahe London hospital where he is receiving treatment for Eczema and Dudonal Ulcer, presided.

FIRST TRAIN GOES OUT OF SOVIET ZONE

HANOVER Sept. 10 (Reuter)—The first mail train from the Russian sector of Berlin since the beginning of the city's "blockade" on June 23 arrive at Lehrte Station, near Hanover, at 16.15 (local time) today.

The train travelling via Magdeburg and after stopping at Lehrte went on to Hanover.

German railway authorities in Hanover believed tonight that both the return postal service to Berlin and the passenger service between the two cities would be resumed very shortly.

END HOSTILITIES IN 48 HOURS

Dutch Ultimatum To Republican Army Chiefs

BATAVIA, Sept. 10. (Reuter): Antara, Indonesian Republican news agency, reported to-day that the Dutch commander in East Java had sent an ultimatum to Republican commanders demanding an end to hostilities in Dutch-occupied East Java "within forty-eight hours."

The Dutch Commander, Major-General S. Baay, said that if the demand were not met he would ask permission of the Dutch Army Commander, Lieutenant-General S. H. Spoor, to take "any action he considered" fit, the agency declared.

Replying to the Dutch demand, the Republican vice-commander in East Java, Lieutenant Colonel Kaetarto, said the Republic had nothing to do with incidents in Dutch areas.

MORE AID TO W. GERMANY

Marshall Plan Chiefs' Decision

PARIS, Sept. 10 (Reuter).—Marshall Plan chiefs have agreed that Western Germany should get more aid—possibly another 100 million dollars worth—and it is believed that they have made a step towards bringing the deadlock in the 19-Member Council of the organisation for European Economic Co-operation.

A well-informed source, who said the Council has been summoned tomorrow to its first meeting here since last Saturday, added that this could be taken as a sign that differences over Marshall aid allocations for 1948-49 had been overcome.

The extra aid for Western Germany was not known definitely but it was learned unofficially but reliably that it would be about 100 million dollars more than the original 367 million dollars' worth previously suggested and would be in the form of direct aid and more favourable treatment for export credits.

Bizonia originally asked 450 million dollars.

Food Ministers' Conference On Sept. 17

NEW DELHI, Sept. 10 (API.) In order to reach early decisions on the food problem, the conference of Food Minister of provinces and states, which was scheduled to be held here on September 24 andn 25, is being held on September 17 and 18.

NEHRU AND SARDAR TO VISIT BOMBAY

Crowded Programme For Premier: Patel To Rest At Juhu Bungalow

BOMBAY, Friday.

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, Prime Minister of India, Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, Deputy Prime Minister and Sardar Baldevsing, Defence Minister will be visiting Bombay in the course of this month.

Pandit Nehru and Sardar Baldev Singh are arriving on the 14th in connection with the homecoming of H.M.I.S. Delhi. On the same day Mrs. Vijayalakshmi Pandit, leader of the Indian Delegation to the General Assembly of the United Nations and other members of the official party will also arrive in the city.

Pandit Nehru will return to Delhi on the 16th.

Sardar Patel, it is learnt, is coming to the city purely for a rest. No official engagements have been fixed for him and he will stay far away from the city, in a bungalow at Juhu. But the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee is hoping to induce Sardar Patel to preside over the initial function in connection with the celebration of the birthday of Mahatma Gandhi. The celebrations will last for one week ending on October 2.

ADDRESS TO OFFICERS OF 'DELHI'

Pandit Nehru, will address officers and men of the H.M.I.S. "Delhi which is expected to arrive in Bombay on September 15. Sardar Baldev Singh will also be on board the ship on the occasion.

According to the programme drawn up by the naval authorities, H.M.I.S. "Delhi", escorted by H.M.I.S. 'Krishna', will arrive in Bombay on September 15 morning near the Oyster Rock "Delhi" will salute the flag of the Commander-in-Chief of the Royal Indian Navy with a salvo of fire to which H.M.I.S. "Cauvery", wearing the flag of the Commander-in-Chief, will reply.

The cruiser will then anchor alongside the Ballard Pier and Vice-Admiral W.E. Parry, C.B., Commander-in-Chief Royal Indian Navy accompanied by Commodore H.R. Inigo-Jones, C.I.E. will arrive on board.

Soon after, Pandit Nehru accompanied by the Defence Minister, the Governor of Bombay, the Chief Justice of India and other officials, will board the ship and inspect divisions.

Sir Maharaj Singh, Governor of Bombay, will hold a reception at the Town Hall in honour of "Delhi".

ROUTE MARCH

On September 16, there there will be a route march by Officers and men from the H.M.I.S. "Delhi" from the Ballard Pier to the Victoria Gardens. The same evening they will be guests at a reception organised by the women's organisations in Bombay.

The ship will be open to visitors on September 16 afternoon. Visitors will be allowed on board in batches of 50.

LINGUISTIC DIVISIONS

Andhra Legislators' Plea For Postponement

MADRAS, Sept. 10. (A.P.I.): Twenty Madras legislators representing Rayalaseema have submitted a memorandum to the Linguistic Provinces Commission favouring the postponement of the division of the country on a linguistic basis till the Kashmir and Hyderabad problems are solved.

The memorandum states that the division of the country on a linguistic basis at present before Kashmir and, more particularly, the Hyderabad problem were solved would injure hte unity of the country. The issue could be safely postponed until "thtre is all-round security and peace in the country".

The Andhra Provinvial Congress Committee have also submitted a memorandum to the Commission urging the creation of Andhra Province immediately" lest a sense of disappointment and frustration should convulse the Andhra public".

JEWISH ATTACK ON ARAB LINES?

AMMAN, Sept. 10 (UPA): Transjordan officials today charged thtt the Jews heavily attacked Arab lines at three points in Jerusalem last night and this morning and were thrown back.

They said Jewish mortar batteries laid down a heavy barrage on the Arabs in the Nebidaoud sector last night and Israeli troops followed up with an attack at 1 a.m.

Other attacks on the lines around Deirabuto and the Damascus gate area were repulsed earlier, the officials said.

MEDIATOR'S FINAL REPORT NEXT WEEK

RHODES, Sept. 10 (UPA): Count Folke Bernadotte told the press today that his final report on Palestine will probably be finished some time next week. He said, following his arrival last night, that he planned one more swing of the various Arab capitals and Jerusalem next week, returning here on September 19.

ISRAEL'S ENVOY TO MOSCOW PRESENTS CREDENTIALS

MOSCOW, Sept. 10 (UPA): The Biblical language of Hebrew prophets was spoken for the first time today inside the ancient Kremlin when Israel's Goldie Mayerson presented her credentials to high Soviet officials.

E. A. Vlasov, vice-President of the U.S.S.R., welcomed the woman envoy and expressed hope of development of good relations with the new state. His remarks were translated into Hebrew and Mayerson's Hebrew thanks were translated into Russian.

Jap Rolling Stock For Siamese Rice

TOKIA, Sept. 10. (Reuter): Japan will send Siam rolling stock and steel products in exchange for Siamese rice in a 63,000,000 United States dollars Siam-Japan trade plan, agreed to by occupation officials and a Siamese trade mission, it was announced today from General MacArthur's headquarters.

IMPROVED WHEAT OUTLOOK FOR 1949

U. S. Agriculture Department's Annual Review

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10. (Reuter): Although at least 60 per cent of United States wheat stocks will be exported during the current marketing year the improved 1949 outlook in other major wheat growing countries indicates htat 1949-50 exports will be reducible from the expected current season exports of 450,000,000 bushels to between 300 and 350 millions, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture's annual review "Outlook".

The review says reduced exports would permit building up of domestic stocks.

On the other hand, if the 1949 crop turns out to prove disappointing, additional quantities would be available from the United States.

The review assumes that agricultural output in Asia and Europe will further recover in 1949-50, that exporting countries will have more normal production, that about 75,000,000 bushels will be exported from Russia and Eastern Europe mostly to E.R.P. countries.

"The financial and political role played by the United States in international affairs will continue to be very important in determining the quantity of United States exports".

SIND GOVERNMENT WARNS OFFICIALS

KARACHI, Sept. 10 (UPI.) A stern warning to members of the majority community not to illtreat or harass directly or indirectly minority community members has been given by the Sind Government through a press note issued today.

The press note enjoins on the Muslims to treat the minorities justly and even generously in confirmity with Islamic principles. It is stated that the protection of lives and properties of the minorities are the special responsibility of the majority community.

The Governmnent have made it clear that Government afficiate and others, if found nat paying due respect to the feelings of the minorities, would be liable for exemplary and deterrant punishment.

Government House News

GANESHKHIND, Sept. 10 (API)—The Governor of Bombay and Rani Maharaj Singh visited the Anglo-Urdu Girls High School and the Urdu Training College at Bhawani Peth.

His Excellency received the Hon'ble Mr. Morarji R. Desai and Lieut.-Gen. M. Kumar Rajendra Singhji.

Rani Maharaj Singh received the Hon'ble Mr. Morarji R. Desai.

His Excellency and Rani Maharaj Singh accompanied by Kumar Ranbir Singh lunched with Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Amersey at the Turf Club House.

Nurses from the N. M. Wadia, Sassoon and Readmoney hospitals came to tea.

RESTATIONING OF INDIAN TROOPS SURE GUARANTEE OF PEACE

Rajaji On Only Solution Of Hyderabad Tangle In His Reply To Nizam's Telegram

NEW DELHI, Sept. 10, (U.P.I.): Further correspondence that passed between His Exalted Highness the Nizam in continuation of his telegram of September 5 and His Excellency the Governor-General, was released tonight.

A telegram from the Nizam dated the 9th September reads as follows:—

"In continuation of my telegram to you dated the 5th September once more my Government and I ask Your Excellency to make use of your good offices with your Government to accommodate Hyderabad's view points as indicated in last June's discussions and to create an atmosphere of better understanding in which you and I may be able to make personal contributions in which you and shrdium butions to the extent that lies in our power in serving the interests of the people of our respective countries. I sincerely trust that you will give your earnest attention to my request and thereby avoid serious and unpleasant developments of any kind in our relationship."

RAJAJI'S REPLY

His Excellency the Governor-General in his reply dated the 10th September says:—

"I thank you for Your Exalted Highness' telegram dated the 9th September, in which you have again asked me to do what I can, to create an atmosphere of better understanding in which you and I may be able to make a personal contribution in serving the interests of the people of India and Hyderabad. In my letter dated the 31st August I pointed out to Your Exalted Highness that the most urgent phase of the Problem as I saw it was to the prevailing state of insecurity and alarm. I have implored Your Exalted Highness to do the right thing on your own initiative; more specifically I suggested that you should ban the Razakars and invite the reposting of adequate military forces of the Government of India at Secunderabad so that there should be no doubt left in the public mind in Hyderabad and outside as to the security of person and property, and the basis of friendship might thus be laid.. I added that I saw no other effective way of restoring security and confidence. You seem to interpret this as advice given to Your Exalted Highness to override you Government. My point has been wholly missed by Your Exalted Highness.

"In your reply of the 5th September besides denying that there was any insecurity of life, honour and property in Hyderabad you aided that the matter of allowing our troops to be stationed on your territory was out of the question.

"Unless Your Exalted Highness is prepared to act on the suggestion that I made in my letter of the 31st August, it is impossible for me to see how I can help Your Exalted Highness to achieve the purpose that you say you have in view. I feel strongly and therefore repeat that the issue of public conference & sense of security is the immediate question to be tackled and I have no doubt that what I have suggested is the only effective solution and I am grieved Your Exalted Highness has been advised to reject my considered advice. It would not in the least affect other issues if Your Exalted Highness invited the restaioning of our troops as a guarantee of peace and demonstration of the determination to settle matters amicably. On the other mand if Your Exalted Highness forces the Government of India to act on their initiative in this respect it is bound to affect other issues and in a grave manner."

ITTEHAD'S CLAIM EXPOSED

NEW DELHI, Sept. 9 (U.P.I.): Mr. Baker Ali Mirza of Hyderabad in a statement to the press says:

"The Hyderabad Government has published its "White Paper". In the draft heads of agreement approved on June 6 by the Majlis and offered to India, it is stated that "Hyderabad will have no political relations with any country in the world' and agreed also to fix the strength of the army to 20,000. These were the terms offered by the Hyderabad Government to India and not for any definite period but for all time.

"Can any State that surrenders its foreign affairs and agrees to its conduct 'through' and 'by' another power, claim to call itself 'Independent'? Let alone 'Independence', it is not even 'Dominion Status.' And can any State that has agreed to the limitation of its Forces for all time, without fixing any limit to the strength of the Forces of the other contracting party, maintain its independence or claim equality of status?"

'N. Y. Times' Says:—

HYDERABAD CAN'T CLAIM INDEPENDENCE

NEW YORK, Sept. 9 (U.P.A.): The New York "Times" in an editorial today entitled "Tension in India," claimed the world must "view anxiously" the Indian Union's disputes with Kashmir and Hyderabad.

The "Times" likened the Hyderabad situation to the American northwestern state of Minnesota and said: "The idea that such a state (Hyderabad) could remain independent with its own armed forces, foreign service and tariffs seems as sensible as if Minnesota should seek such a status here. Delhi has resources to assume control....It has withheld action only because of fear of consequences elsewhere.

RAMPUR WARNS NIZAM

LUCKNOW, Sept. 10. (A.P.I.): "The writing is on the wall for anybody, who has eyes to see but it is most unfortunate that the Nizam is not prepared to see reason and save himself and his State from the inexorable fate, which awaits them if the present most unreasonable and recalcitrant attitude is persisted in", said His Highness the Nawab of Rampur in an interview with a correspondent of the "Pioneer" at Rampur.

'AXIS SALLY' INDICTED ON TREASON CHARGES

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10. (U.P.A.): The Federal Grand Jury today indicted Mildred Elizabeth Gillars, the Nazi radio's "'Axis Sally", on charge of treason.

The maximum penalty if convicted is death.

No Anti-Government Plot In Siam

BANGKOK, Sept. 10 (Reuter)—Reports of an alleged anti-Government plot in Siam were officially denied here today. An authoritative source said there was no truth in rumours that a plot had been discovered and that important political leaders were being rounded up.

The recent arrest of three junior army and police officers was stated to be for "disciplinary reasons."

WELCOME SHOWERS IN GUJARAT

(From Our Correspondent).

RAJKOT, Sept. 10.—The renewal of the devoutly wished for showers at Nadiad and elsewhere in Gujarat since Sunday night has raised the drooping spirit of the farming community, because their prospects of realising fairly satisfactory out turns of the bajri and pulse crops have brightened.

RED STRONGHOLD IN HONAN FALLS

Chiang's Forces Making Headway In Other Fronts

NANKING, Sept, 10 (Reuter): Gen. Hu Chu Nan's crack Shensi forces captured the Communist stronghold of Lushin, 40 miles south of their Lunghai railway base at Lingapao today, according to pro-Government despatches.

This is their second major success in the three-day old counter-offensive in north-west Honan.

Yesterday they captured the strategic city of Shanshien, 20 miles east of Lingpao.

The Governments "largest ever" drive in north Kiangsu was also claimed to be making "considerable headway" with Canadian-built Mosquito fighter bombers continuing to play an important role. Several more Communist strongholds had been taken, it was claimed.

In Central Hopei, General Fu Tso-Yi's troops nave recaptured Hsusui, 20 miles north of the provincial capital, Paoting, but were meeting strong resistance from isolated Communist detachments in the northern part of the province between Miyun and the Great Wall pass of Kupeikow.

CHINA'S FINANCIAL CONDITION IMPROVES

NANKING, Sept. 10 (UPA): Finance Minister Wang Yun-Wu told the Legislative Yuan today that since the currency reform financial conditions had "much improved" and expressed confidence that the Government for the first time since 1937 would be able to balance the budget in the fiscal year.

YUNNAN MEASURES TO PREVENT BURMESE INSURGENTS

SHANGHAI, Sept. 10 (Reuter): The Yunnan Provincial Government has taken precautionary measures along the Burma frontier to prevent the infiltration into China of Burmese insurgents, according to Chinese press reports today from Kunming, the Yunnan capital.

Stop Press

FURTHER RISE IN GANGES FLOOD LEVEL

ALLAHABAD, Sept. 10 (API)—The flood level in Ganges and Jamuna recorded a further rise by three inches today.

today.

The level in Jamuna has risen to 162 feet above the sea level, which is two feet below the highest level recorded in 1875.

AMENITIES FOR INDIAN TROOPS

Consembly Members Form New Organisation

NEW DELHI, Sept. 10. (U.P.I.): An organisation under the name and style of the Bharat Sena Sahayak Samiti has been decided to be set up at a meeting of the members of the Constituent Assembly for providing amenities and comforts for the Indian fighting forces, with Mrs. Ammu Swaminathan as Chairman, Prof. N. G. Ranga, Mr. Satyanarayan Sinha and Mrs. Renuka Roy as Secretaries and Lala Deshbandhu Gupta as Treasurer.

At a general body meeting of the members of the Bharat Sena Sahayak Samiti held on September 6 last, it was decided to request the Prime Minister of India to issue a statement asking the Provincial Premiers to organise amenities committees in their provinces to work in co-ordination with the Central Committee.

NEPAL TO APPLY FOR U. N. MEMBERSHIP

RAXAUL, Sept. 10 (UPI): The question of Nepal's membership of the United Nations has been under consideration of the Government of Nepal for some time past, says a Press Note issued by the Department of Publicity, Nepal.

The Government have, the note adds, also studied the reactions of individuals and bodies within the Kingdom to the proposal as a result of which they have decided to make a formal application for membership as soon as practicable.

It is learned that it has not been found convenient to make the application this year and it will be submitted next year. Many friendly countries who maintain diplomatic relations with Nepal have expressed themselves in favour of Nepal's membership, and have promised their support for her application before the Security Council as well as in the General Assembly of the United Nations.

"MILK"

Milk cards for supply of milk to commence from 1st October, 1948, will be issued from all the Milk Centres in City and Suburbs and Wakefield House, Ballard Estate, upto 18th September, 1948. Milk is not rationed and anyone who wishes to avail himself of the Scheme may obtain cards, during the above period.

D. N. KHURODY,
Milk Commissioner, Bombay.

9th September, 1948.

Secondary Education To Be Democratised

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that some of the reconstruction projects of Government needed the carrying of heavy materials from one place to another, for which trolley lines are necesary. The Government did not, at present, enjoy the powers necessary for this purpose. Dr. Gilder said that there were certain objections from the public with regard to this move.

S.S.L.C. BILL PASSED

The Bill to Establish a Secondary School Certificate Examination Board, as it has emerged from the Select Committee to which it had been referred during the last session of the Assembly, was accepted today.

Mr. Kher, Prime Minister and Minister for Education, presenting the Select Committee report said that the only important changes made by the Committee were firstly to amplify the preamble and secondary to increase the representation given to the University on the proposed Board. Mr. Kher said that in the original Bill the Universities were to have only eight members on the Board, but now they would have 12. He referred to a deputation headed by the Vice-Chancellor of the University which had waited on him. He had been assured of the co-operation of the University in the establishment of the Board as well as in the conduct of the new examination.

The deputation, however, had demanded that the University should not oe prevented from holding its examination for entrance to University classes, especially from schools not recognised by the Bombay Government. The deputation had also said that it would recognise the proposed Secondary Certificate Examination for purposes of entry into the University provided the candidates passed in certain subjects and obtained certain percentage of marks.

Mr. Kher said that when the deputation placed these views before him, the Select Committee had already finished its report. It had also been suggested that the working of the Board should be reviewed after five years. But this was a suggestion that could not be incorporated in the Bill itself. If Government felt that the position ought to be reviewed at the end of five years or ten it would do so.

INDEPENDENT STATUS NEEDED

Mr. S. L. Karandikar, (Ratnagiri General) said that the University wanted the entire field of secondary education to be left free to itself. But the time had now come when secondary education should enjoy an independent status and the present Bill sought to do that.

Mr. Mahajan, (Ratnagiri), Mr. Babubhai Patel, (Kaira), Mr. Ghorpade and Mrs. Sumatibai Gore congratulated the Premier for bringing up the Bill.

DEMOCRATISING SECONDARY EDUCATION

Mr. Kher, in his reply, said that with the spread of basic education which had been made compulsory the demand for secondary education had increased. Hence, it became necessary to introduce reforms in the field of secondary education. The present Bill sought to do that. In the past higher education and even secondary education had been the monopoly of the higher and the intellectual strata of society. The present Bill sought to democratise secondary education. The existence of a wide range of abilities and needs pointed to an examination which did not ignore them. It was also desirable to introduce a standard of uniformity. A beginning had been made by providing multilateral and vocational schools. The second step was as proposed by the Bill.

The provisions of the Bill were in accordance with the recommendations jointly made by the Central Advisory Board of Education and the Inter-University Board. He added: "The Bill is genuinely in the interests of the backward people of the province, especially—large numbers who have not been in the field of education.

BILL TO TAX LOTTERIES

The Bill to control and to tax lotteries and prize competitions in the Province of Bombay, which was introduced in the Assembly provoked a certain amount of discussion. The Prime Minister stated that the need for the present Bill arose out of the inadequacy of existing legislation to check these evils. A large amount of money was being spent by poor and credulous persons in the hope of winning prizes in lotteries and competitions. Some of these were bogus and most of them benefitted only the organisers and promoters. This type of exploitation needed to be stopped. For instance it was found almost impossible to check the sale of Goa lottery tickets in the Province under the existing powers and statutes.

Mr. A. A. Khan, leader, Fourth Party, said that he would have welcomed the Bill if Government had decided on complete abolition of all lotteries and competitions. The provision of the present Bill were similar to the Act of 1939. He could not see, therefore, how the loopholes in that Act could be covered up here. What was needed was the rooting out of the gambling instinct in people. He was against all manner of gambling including horse—racing. It was wrong of Government to classify lotteries into licensed and unlicensed classes. Mr. Babubhai Patel also spoke. Mr. Morarji Desai, in his reply stated that gambling could not be stopped by a stroke of legislation or by a resolution. All people did not regard prize competitions as gambling. What the Bill sought to eradicate was the gambling spirit in people by a gradual process. Even the Lord Chief Justice of England had held that skin was necesary for solving prize competions. He assured the House that Government did not intend to give permission for floating lotteries. The Bill was eventually passed.

Ahmedabad Drive Against Milk Adulteration

AHMEDABAD, Sept. 10 (API) The Ahmedabad Municipality has launched a vigorous drive against importers of adulterated milk. The Chairman of the Medical Relief Committee, accompanied by the Health Officer and a Special Magistrate, rounded up importers of adulterated milk at the railway station and held a summary trial on the station platform.

Nineteen milkmen were convicted and sentenced to one week's simple imprisonment and to pay fines ranging from Re. 40 to Rs. 75 each.

U. N. KASHMIR COMMISSION

Groups Of Delegates For Srinagar And W. Pakistan

NEW DELHI, Sept. 10. (U.P.I.): Dr. Ricardo J. Siri (Argentina) Vice-Chairman of the United Nations Commission for India and Pakistan, Mr. Josef Korbel (Czechoslovakia) and Dr. Alfredo Lozano (Columbia) will go to Srinagar on Sunday. They will be accompanied by several members of the Secretariat.

A "Communique" issued by the Commission Secretariat says. The United Nations Commission for India and Pakistan met on Friday and decided that groups of delegates would proceed to both Srinagar and to Western Pakistan in the next few days.

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The Chairman, Ambassador J. Klahr Huddle (United States) and Minister Egbert Graeffe (Belgium) will leave on Tuesday for Rawalpindi from where they will go on to visit the western section of Kashmir.

Ambassador Huddle took over the Chairmanship, under the rotation system, on Friday, succeeding Ambassador Korbel.

ALTERNATE DELEGATES LEAVE FOR DELHI.

SRINIGAR, Sept. 10. (A.P.I.): The alternate delegates of the United Nation Commission on Kashmir, M. Harry Graeffe, and Mr. Adams, and Mr. Richard Symonds, Secretary of the Commission, left Srinagar for New Delhi this afternoon for consultations with the main Commission.

They are likely to discuss the work of the sub-Commission and obtain fresh instructions in the light of the new situation that has arisen following Pakistan's refusal to accept the Commission's cease-fire proposals.

The delegates this morning received deputations from heads of religious communities and local journalists in Srinagar.

FOOD GRAINS CONTROL

Kashmir Govt. To Take Over Surplus Paddy

SRINAGAR, Sept. 10. (U.P.I.): The Government of Jammu and Kashmir have, it is understood, recognised the principle of taking over all surplus paddy from the landlords with a view to averting the shortage of food and making it available on cheap rates to the people in every part of the State. A comprehensive scheme for the purpose is said to be under the active consideration of the Government which, if acepted, will soon come into force in the form of an Act. Under the provisions of this scheme landlords will have to sell all surplus paddy to the Food Procurement Officer at fixed rates.

Besides enabling the Government to keep the prices of foodgrains under control, the scheme will also facilitate the provision of foodgrains to landless peasants at controlled rates.

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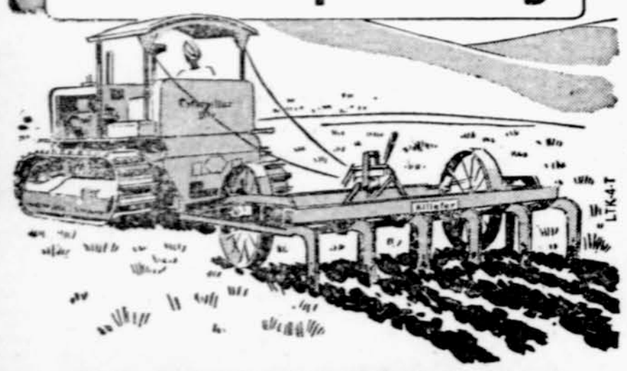

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NEHRU ON "DYNAMIC OPERATION" IN HYDERABAD

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Government of India greatly during the last few weeks was the mounting wave of disorder inside Hyderabad.

At the same time, he wished to state that everything which appeared in the newspapers was not always correct. There had been a tendency to exeggerate events. He had found on examination that some of these reports were greatly exaggerated. But allowing for all these things, there was no doubt that the state of affairs in Hyderabad was very bad and progressively worsening. Any person who did not openly submit to any demands from Razakars would really by playing with his life. Of course, if one surrendered and submitted and paid up, one could live more or less in peace for the time being.

TWO SPECIFIC INSTANCES

The Prime Minister drew attention to two specific instances. One was the case where a Muslim editor of a newspaper had been shot dead. The other was in instance, where soon after a Razakar meeting where it was urged that the hands of persons whom they considered traitors should be cut off, a Muslim had his arms cut off. He had a very gruesome photograph of this. The affairs in Hyderabad were sinking into a state of barbarity. In a feudal autocratic regime, one had a strange mixture of certain old world courtesies and even some kind of culture at the top which was very pleasing. But if one went a little below the surface, one would find things were completely different. And when the static state of affairs changed, in the dynamic stage, all the worst passions naturally came out.

In a democratic system too, he admitted, there were plenty of evils no doubt but on the whole these extremes were avoided on either side.

REAL REASON

"So, the real reason which impelled us at last to decide upon taking action was not the fundamental political reason—although political reasons are important, of course—but it was this reason that inside Hyderabad and on the borders, conditions were worsening and this was affecting the whole of South India and to some extent the rest of India. Naturally, we have been anxious to avoid doing anything which might lead to communal conflict. We have treated this question, as far as we can, apart from the communal plane. We cannot entirely avoid facts, of course, but we do want to continue to treat it apart from that plane. I should very much like the help and co-operation of the Press in this matter—that is not to treat it on a communal plane, and lay stress on the political and other aspects of it and not to give too much prominence to anything which might excite communal passion on either side. I think that is most important and any person who at a moment of crisis when peoples passions are roused, does anything which leads to communal tension, does grave disservice to his country and people. That is one appeal I should like to make to you and through you to the people of the country".

"This applies not only to comments but to the presentation of news as well. I am afraid that this factor has not been borne in mind by some newspapers who have given great prominence and publicity to certain reports which may not even have a basis in fact.

DOMINANT FACTOR

"In taking action, the Government of India had to take a hundred factors into consideration. The dominant factor is to see that in the short term as well as in the long term, what we do must be for the good of India and the Indian people, and, I have of other people beyond the confines of India. No responsible Government can let itself be flung into action which is frought with disastrous consequences without the grave thought being given to the matter. We have always been alive to the matter and it was only after this that we came to the conclusion that any further delay would lead to the very consequences that we wish to avoid and that inevitably we had to come to the conclusion that we must put an end to this business. The way to do it was to station Indian troops at Secunderabad, where they were till February last.

Asked whether Indian troops had already begun to move towards Secunderabad and whether the Nizam had replied to the Government of India's communication, the Prime Minister stated "we have received an acknowledgement to our communication but no reply yet. There was a hint of a reply. Our troops of course are not in Secunderabad.

Question: Is there any time-limit?

Answer: This is a question which it would not be proper for me to reply to.

Question: Was any time-limit attached to the ultimatum?

Answer: In the letter, we asked for this and that to be done immediately.

PRINCE OF BERAR

Asked whether the Government of India favoured the putting on the throne the Prince of Berar in the event of the Nizam being over thrown the Prime Minister answered in the negative. "No such question has arisen for us to consider. Our own information is that the Nizam at the present moment is not functioning with any authority and that other authorities are functioning and that he is very much under the control of these other authorities.

CONSEQUENCES CANT BE FORESEEN

"So far as we are concerned, right from the beginning, we have stated that the constitution of Hyderabad or its internal functioning, whatever it is to be, must be decided by the people of Hyderabad. Our objective is to put an end to this disorder and brutality that is taking place in Hyderabad and we propose to station our troops in Secunderabad. Now, all this is a dynamic operation and when you indulge in a dynamic operation, numerous consequences follow which you cannot foresee. We have to see these things and then decide. But, the fundamental thing is that the people of Hyderabad should have a chance to decide their own future.

Asked whether he could state what the extent of the Nizam's control over the internal situation was today, the Prime Minister said, generally speaking, he might state that the Nizam's control over most public activities in Hyderabad was exceedingly limited.

"NO EASY MARCH TO SECUNDERABAD"

Asked what the Government would do in the event of opposition from the Nizam to the stationing of troops at Secunderabad the Prime Minister said: "we did not quite expect an easy march to Secunderabad".

What would happen if the Nizam refuses to accommodate us and facilitate the return of our troops.

Ans: With great regret we shall still occupy Secunderabad".

The Prime Minister, clarifying his use of the past tense when he said "we did not quite expect..." added: "No Indian army has gone there yet. They have not oegun to move.

Q: Is the Prince of Berar is in disgrace or under surveillance?

Ans: These are all bits of news emanating from private apartments as to what the relationship between father and son is or husband and wife is. But you do not expect me as a member of the Government to dole out these news.

PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENTS

Asked whether Government was aware of the existence of a number of provisional governments set up by the people of Hyderabad themselves in various places and whether the Government of India would help them, the Prime Minister said: "we do not know anything about provisional governments". When a questioner drew his attention to reports that nearly 2,000 villages had proclaimed themselves independent under Communist leadership and asked how the Government of India would deal with them, the Prime Minister said: "I do not know but it depends on what they do at the time.

STAND-STILL AGREEMENT

Referring to the Standstill Agreement, the Prime Minister said, there was a clause in the agreement which safeguarded the right of the Government of India to take the proposed action. Under Paramountcy, there was a certain mutuality, i.e. the Government of India undertook to give aid to the Nizam against his own subjects if necessary and in return exercise the right of Paramountcy. The Government of India of course would not help the Nizam to put down his subjects. If the Nizar asked us to shoot down his own people, we are not prepared to help him in that way.

Q: How do you propose to deal with the Razakars by merely stationing our troops at Secunderabad?

Ans: If any other police action is necessary in other parts of the state, it will be for these troops to take it.

Asked whether events in Hyderabad were likely to make him give up his proposed visit to London for the Commonwealth Prime Ministers' Conference Pandit Nehru said that he fully intended to attend the Prime Ministers' Conference.

Referring to the evacuation of British and other nationals from Hyderabad, the Prime Minister said that this was being done because of the progressive state of disorder and possible apprehension that it might grow worse.

Most of the Europeans were missionaries, and he understood that a fair number of them had expressed a desire to stay on in Hyderabad in spite of any possible danger. It was very creditable of them. But it was right that those who wished to leave should be given facilities to leave. Of course, nobody was forcing anybody to go away.

The Prime Minister added that there were some Britishers in the Nizam's army who were retired British Officers.

TWO DIVERGENT APPROACHES

When the Prime Minister's attention was drawn to the Pakistan Foreign Affairs Minister, Sir Mohamed Zafrullah Khan's comments on Hyderabad, Pandit Nehru said that the essential fact was that the Indian Government's approach and the Pakistan Government's approach to most problems was entirely different.

The whole approach of the Pakistan Government was based on the theory which led to the partition of the country. Pakistan's approach was communalistic and Pakistan — going to be an Islamic Theocratic state.

Inevitably, their interpretation of any event was communal and religious. Whether it was Hyderabad, Kashmir or anything else, they, could only talk and interpret in that term.

The Government of India's approach was fundamentally different. So far as the Government of India was concerned—even though individuals might err—they would do their utmost to avoid a communal approach and would not tolerate any development of communal action in any part of India, by whichever side it might be conceived.

The Prime Minister then discussed the question of prompt and accurate publicity in regard to possible developments on the Hyderabad issue and suggested that this question might be further discussed with the Information Ministry.

British Pacific Fleet's Shore H. Q. To Move To Singapore

LONDON, Sept. 10 (Reuter): British Admiralty announced today that the shore headquarters of the British Pacific Fleet will be transferred from Hongkong to Singapore on September 15.

The announcement said that Admiral Denis. W. Boyd Commander-in-Chief of the Pacific Fleet, whose staff will also be transferred, will become after that date the "Commander-in-Chief, Far East Station."

Hongkong will remain the operational training base of the station. The change is being made "in order to facilitate inter-service co-operation in the Far East".

NEW R.A.F. OFFENSIVE SOON

KUALA LUMPUR, Sept. 10 (Reuter): Air Vice-Marshall Alfred C. Sanderson, Air Officer-Commanding Malaya, today promised a new Royal Air Force offensive "soon" against the Communist-led guerillas.

He was speaking at a press conference at which other service chiefs and senior civil administrators reviewed the progress of the anti-guerilla campaign.

DELEGATION FROM SIAM

It was learned here today that a police delegation from southern Siam has arrived in Kota Bahru, not far from the Siam border in north Malaya, for discussions with the authorities there. The nature of the talks was not known.

The 10,000 ton cruiser "London" is now patrolling the west coast of Malaya, and the 1,600 ton survey sloop "Dampier" has reinforced units patrolling the east coast, Lieutenant Commander O. Steineg, Royal Navy, revealed.

CASUALTY FIGURES

Latest casualty figures revealed that the services had lost 38 killed and 56 wounded, while the guerillas had lost 146 killed and 84 wounded. Civilians killed numbered 134 and wounded 74.

Malayan police today shot dead the Chinese President of an outlawed labourers union, former teacher at a Communist school, as he was trying to escape into the jungle at the Changkat Salak Estate, north of Ipoh.

Reuter reported from Canberra that the Australian Premier, Joseph Chifley today disclosed that Australia had sent 270 Sten guns, 25 Austen guns (an Australian version of the Sten), and 160,000 rounds of ammunition to Malaya by air.

Separate Andhra Province

Mr. V. V. Subba Rao, President, Andhra Association and Library, Kalyan, in the course of a satement makes a plea for the formation of separate Andhra Province. He says that the postponement of the question of linguistic provinces would further embitter the feelings of the people of Bombay and Madras presidencies, epecially Andhara, Maharashtra and Karnatak. He adds that the formation of linguistic provinces is imperative for national solidarity in order to develop themselves industrially, economically and culturally.

NAINITAL, Sept. 9, (UPI): Acharya Kripalani, President of the Gandhi Lok Sew Sangh, arrived in Nainital yesterday afternoon from Delhi accompanied by Pandit Dayakrishna Pande and other prominent Congress leaders.

150 DELHI PRISONERS FOR FEROZPUR
For Exchange With Those From Pakistan

NEW DELHI, (Sept. 10. (U.P.I.): One hundred and fifty Muslim prisoners including Dr. Abdul Ghani Qureshi, a convict in the Joshi murder case, are proposed to be sent out from the Delhi District Jail to Ferozpur within a day or two, it is reliably learnt.

It is understood that the East Punjab Government is collecting all prisoners to be exchanged with Pakistan at Ferozpur, in accordance with the agreement arrived at at one of the Inter-Dominion Conferences held at Lahore in August last.

WORLD CONGRESS OF INTELLECTUALS

PARIS:—Upon his return from the World Congress of Intellectuals, recently hed at Wroclaw, Poland, Dr. Julian Huxley issued the following statement, it was announced in Paris today:—

"I had hoped that the World Congress of Intellectuals at Wroclaw would be devoting itself on the non-governmental level to the same tasks, of international co-operation for peace in the fields of science and culture, to which UNESCO is devoting itself on the inter-governmental level. I accordingly accepted the flattering invitation to be one of its five Presidents or Chairmen and attended the Congress in my individual capacity, after having received an expresss assurance from Mr. Boresza, its Secretary-General and chief organizer, that it was to be purely cultural in its scope. Unfortunately, this turned out not to be the case.

The Congress from the outset took a political turn; there was no real discussion, and the great majority of the speeches were either strictly Marxist analyses of current trends, or else polemical attacks on American or Western policy and culture.

Purely political, or politico-economic matters, such as the Marshall plan, Western Union, and imperial and colonial policy, were frequently brought in. No or negligible references were made to the United Nations or to the possibility of cultural, scientific and technical collaboration made possible through the UN specialized agencies, such as UNESCO FAO and WHO.

I did not sign the final resolution presented to the Congress. It omits all reference to many important causes of or predispositions to war, and places the blame for the present state of tension almost entirely on a handful of self-interested men in America and Europe, who have inherited fascist ideas of racial superiority and the denial of progress, who have adopted fascist methods of solving all problems by force of arms. In these and other ways it appears to me to be tendentious and unfortunate. This gathering of scientists, writers and artists from many countries could have provided an opportunity for reconciling, in the intellectual and cultural sphere, what may broadly be caled the Eastern and Western points of view. I can only express by regret that opportunity was not taken."

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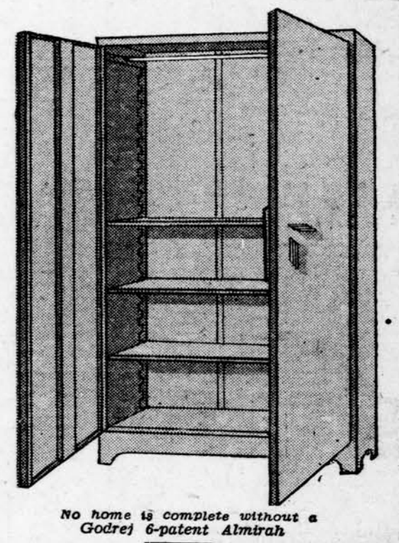

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The Western India Automobile Association & Others .. Respondents

"We are no longer living in those far-off days which according to some may be halcyon and according to others wicked and evil days when the rights of employers and employees were governed purely by contract, when the employer went into the open market, employed whom he liked, paid what he liked and dismissed him when he liked", observed the Chief Justice in setting aside a judgment of Mr. Justice Coyajee.

HOW DISPUTE AROSE.

Disputes arose between the Association and its employees over demands for increased pay and amenities which resulted in the dismissal of two of its employees. Government then referred the disputes to the Industrial Tribunal consisting of Mr. M. C. Shah. But before he could proceed with the adjudication the Association applied for a merit prohibiting the Tribunal from hearing the matter on the ground taht the Association was not an "employer" nor was the dispute an "industrial dispute" because the Association did not carry on any industry but merely rendered certain services to its own members. The Association further contended that the question of re-instatement of dismissed employees was not an industrial dispute and the Tribunal had no jurisdiction with regard to it.

TRIAL JUDGE'S DECISION.

The Trial Judge held that the Association was an "employer" within the meaning of the Act, but granted a merit of prohibition so far as the question of re-instatement was concerned. Both sides appealed—the Government on the latter part of the decision, and the Association on the first part.

APPEAL DISMISSED.

Allowing the Government's appeal but dismissing the appeal of the Association, Their Lordships held that the Tribunal had power to adjudicate on all matters in dispute including the question of re-instatement. Their Lordship, therefore, set aside the writ of prohibition.

Mr. S. D. Vimadalal and R. F. Kolah instructed by Messrs. Kamdar and Co. appeared for the Association.

The Acting-Advocate-General and Mr. J. A. Shah instructed by Messrs. Little and Co. appeared for the Government.

Mr. H. R. Pardivala and Mr. G. G. Mehta instructed by Messrs. Bhaishankar Kanga and Girdharlal appeared for the two dismissed employees.

Lacuna In Bigamous Marriages Act

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice Desai)
Ramchandra Pandurang Patil ..... Plaintiff
vs.
Taramati Ramchandra Patil ..... Defendant

The plaintiff and the defendant were married in 1940. At the time of the marriage the defendant was suffering from what the plaintiff was told was mere skin disease which would soon be cured by treatment. The disease, however, persisted and the plaintiff ultimately discovered that it was leprosy. He then filed the present suit for divorce under the specific provision relating to leprosy in Section 3(1) (c) of the Bombay Hindu Divorce Act 22 of 1947. The defendant did not contest the suit and His Lordship passed a decree for divorce in favour of the plaintiff. Subsequently by consent of parties His Lordship ordered the plaintiff to pay alimony to the defendant at the rate of Rs. 17-8 per month as long as she remained chaste and unmarried.

An interesting question incidentally arose in the course of the hearing of this suit. Counsel for the plaintiff pointed out that his client could have obtained divorce according to the custom of his caste at a cost of only Rs. 50. Such a divorce was recognized by Section 17 (2) of the Hindu Divorce Act of 1947. But though such a divorce would be valid, curiously enough, if he remarried the plaintiff would be guilty of bigamy and his second marriage would be void under the Bombay Prevention of Hindu Bigamous Marriages Act 25 of 1946. Section 3(1) of that Act defines a "bigamous marriage" as "the marriage of a person during the lifetime of his or her spouse, if the marriage....with such spouse has not been dissolved or declared void by a Court of competent jurisdiction or is not void according to.. custom....". In His Lordship's opinion a marriage which was dissolved by a customary divorce could not be said to be "void" from its inception within the meaning of that section, and the statutory definition of "bigamous marriage" should be suitably amended by the Legislature so as to give full effect to customary divorce which the Legislature had recognised by the Hindu Divorce Act.

Mr. B. B. Desai instructed by Messrs. Godambe & Joglekar appeared for the plaintiff.

Mr. C. J. Shah instructed by Messrs. Joshi & Co., appeared for the defendant.

Exemption To Refugees From Registration

The Bombay Refugees Act, 1948, is proposed to be amended so as to make provision for exempting from registration or from other requirements of it, certain class of refugees or individuals. The amending Bill, which is published in the Bombay Government Gazette, of September 9, contains a new Section (Section 16) laying down that the Provincial Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, direct that refugees from any particular area or place or any class of refugees shall be exempted from all or any of the provisions of this Act or any requirements thereof. An officer authorised in this behalf will grant exemption to individual refugees.

A few more amendments to the Act have been made with a view to meeting certain hardships felt by the refugees by the operation of some of the provisions of it.

Deccan College Management

The Government of Bombay has sanctioned the appointment of the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Poona as a trustee of the Deccan College, Poona Trust, in place of the Vice-Chancellor of the Bombay University.

Mr. R. P. Patwardhan has been nominated as a tristee on the same Trust in the vacancy caued by the appointment of Right Honourable Dr. M. R. Jayakar as a trustee in his capacity as the Vice-Chancellor of the Poona University.

The Rules for the administration and management of the Deccan College Post Graduate and Research Institute have been so amended as to replace the Vice-Chancellor of the Bombay University by his counterpart in the Poona University in the council of Management.

PRESIDENCY-TOWNS INSOLVENCY ACT

Amending Bill Promulgated

A Bill to amend the Presidency-towns Insolvency Act 1909 in its application to the Province of Bombay has been published in the Government Gazette dated Thursday September 9, 1948. The statement of objects and reasons is as follows:—

"By Bombay Act XV of 1939 the Presidency-towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was amended in its application to the Province of Bombay. Provision was made on the lines of the English law making noncompliance with the requirements of an insolvency notice served on a judgment debtor an act of insolvency. Power was also taken to make rules for the purpose and to prescribe therein the form of the insolvency notice. In accordance with the amended provisions rules were made and a form of insolvency notice was prescribed. It was orginally the intention at the time of effecting the amendments to bring the provisions of the Indian Law in line with those of the English law contained in the Bankruptcy Acts of 1914 and 1926. While making the rules and prescribing the form, therefore the provisions of the rules and the form prescried under the English Bankruptcy Acts were adopted. In certon proceedings before the High Court however it has been held that some of the provisions of these rules and of the insolvency notice form fall beyond the scope of the povisions of the Presidency-towns Insolvency Act as amended in 1939. With a view to saving adjudication orders made so far for non-compliance with involvency notices which are being challenged as bad on the above grounds, it is considered necessary further to amend the Presidency-towns Insolvency Act so as to validate the aforesaid provisions of the rules and of the insolvency notice form. These amendments are also on the lines of the provisions in the English Bankruptcy Acts.

Amendment To Indian Forest Act

A Bill to amend the Indian Forest Act, 1927 in its application to the Province of Bombay has been published in the Bombay Government Gazette dated Thursday, September 9, 1948.

The statement of objects and reasons is as follows:—

"Owing to lack of control privately owned forests and waste lands throughout the Province have been progressively denuded and are being rendered largely valueless. Many of these forests and lands have already been completely destroyed by over-feelings and excessive grazing. Such denudation and destruction are endangering supplies of timber, firewood and fodder, causing erosion, adversely affecting water supplies and exposing lands below to the destructive action of floods. Control over the destructive process is essential in the interests of public welfare. It is necessary for Government to ensure that private forests and waste lands are not mismanaged. Existing legislation is not adequate to enable Government to excise effective control over privately owned forests and waste lands. The objects of the Bill are to secure to Government power to control privately owned forest and waste lands and to enable Government to manage such forests or lands whenever it is necessary to do so in the public interest."

NEWSPRINT FOR TEXT BOOKS

In view of the existing shortage of printing paper for school and college tetxt books, the Government of India has decided that a small quantity of newsprint be made available to printers and publishers of these text books for the period October-December, 1948. The allocation is only available for the printing of text books approved by the Provincial Government or by recognised Universities. The quota allotted to Bombay Province is only 86 tons.

Applications for permits under Section 3 (5) of the Newsprint Control (No. 2) Order, 1947 may be made on plain paper stating the number of copies proposed to be printed, with size and number of pages of the book or books concerned and the total weight of newsprint involved, and should be sent to the Provincial Paper Controller, Queen's Barracks No. 9, Colaba, so as to reach him by 15-9-48 "at the latest", with a copy of the letter from the Director of Public Instruction, Poona, or the University concerned sanctioning the books as text books.

Sales Tax Advisory Committee Set Up

The Government of Bombay has appointed a Committee to assist it in the smooth and efficient administration of the Sales Tax Act. The Committee, which will make suggestions generally in regard to the removal of procedural anomalies and legitimate grievances, will also assist the Commissioner of Sales Tax in devising measures to prevent and minimise the evasion of the tax.

The Committee will not, however, be competent to deal with questions of internal organisation of the Sales Tax Department.

The members of the Committee are the Commissioner of Sales Tax (Chairman), the Deputy Commissioner of Sales Tax (Vice-Chairman), Mr. Sunderdas Morarji, Mr. B. V. Tambe, Mr. R. A. Khedgikar (MLA), Mr. Khimji M. Bhujporia, Mr. Haji Noor Mohomed (MLA), Mr A. S. Thakore, Mr. Babubhai Patel (MLA), Mr D. V. Potdar Mr. Jivanrao Yalgi, Khan Bahadur J. B. Vachha and Mr. H.C.M. Rana.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

DISPOSALS

AUCTION PROGRAMME FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1948.

Sl. No.	Date.	Time.	Place of Auction.	Stores to be auctioned.		Auctioneer.
1	13-9-48	10 A.M. to 5 P.M.	D.G.I.& S. Sewri.	Black out curtains, cylinders, Non-metalic components, Spray Painting booths, Leather belting Austin Car Motor Valve Parts etc.	M/s.	Gandhi & Co., Bombay.
2	15-9-48	10-30 A.M. to 1 P.M.	L. Fisher & Co., Tamarind Lane, Fort, Bombay.	Pressed Bowls Hand, Handles without Ferrules, Ferrules Brass ungrazed etc.	M/s.	Crawford & Co.
3	15/16/ 17-9-48	10-30 A.M. to 5 P.M.	H.Q., Dehu Vehicle Depot, Dehu.	Salvage M.T. Vehicles.	,,	Shanker Ramchandra & Brothers, Poona.
4	20-9-48	11 A.M. to 1 P.M.	H.M.I.N. Dockyard, Bombay.	Belts waist blue Stoves in complete with flue.	,,	Bennett & Co., Bombay.
5	—do—	3 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Textile Commissioner's Ahmedabad House, Ballard Estate, Bombay.	Typewriters and Bicycles.	,,	—do—
6	20-9-48	Starting at 10-30 A.M.	E.S.D. Dehu.	Netting Camouflage, Belting Bathe, Yarn Spun Hemp, Belting leather and hair Hose water delivery, Marine glue, packing jointing etc.	M/s.	R.S. Craven Son & Co.
7	—do—	Will start after E.S.D. Dehu auction.	Ordnance Depot, Dehu Road.	Vails mosquito Khaki, Gloves of sizes, Trousers A/G, Spare parts of vehicles, Jackets fencing, capes, field service Mazri, Cordage Coir etc.		—do.—
8	21-9-48	10-30 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Central Provision Depot, Dehu Siding.	Packs W.E., Ladies minor of sizes, Helmet steel No. 1 H.K. I Strap Chin, Tents Artic Bivouc, Gloves of sizes, Spurs Jacks ordinary strap continuous, Ditto Tuckleless tabs, Nets Bush Mosquito proof upright, Ties red, Hose water canvas etc.		—do.—
9	22/23 -9-48	10-30 A.M. to 5 P.M.	R.S.S.D. Ghorpuri.	Miscellaneous Salvage stores.	M/s.	Gurdit Singh Beant Singh.
10	24-9-48	10-30 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Medical Stores Depot, Byculla, Bombay.	Elastic Bandages, (for commercial purposes only), Lock Head Wire wound Oxy. Cylinders M.T. Catheta Magill Intra Trachiol size 4 and 9 Tubing 1.12.	M/s.	Gandhi & Co.
11	27-9-48	10-30 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Balmer Lawrie Godown, Wadi Bunder, Bombay.	Wire ropes.	,,	Bennett & Co.
12	—do—	3-30 P.M. to 5 P.M.	D.G.I&S. Godown, Sewri.	Wire ropes, Davis Hexagonal closures, Brass faucet Bodies and caps, Patt. 807 caps white duck 6" for Ratings and 791 for Seamen.		—do—
13	29-9-48	10-30 A.M. to 1 P.M.	D.G.A. Godown, Ghatkopar.	Furniture, Bitumen.	M/s.	Gandhi & Co.
14	29-9-48	3 P.M. to 5 P.M.	E.S.D. Kurla.	Hose water delivery, Belting canvas fitting cargo, 1000 Watts Shades Circuit brakers etc.	M/s.	Gandhi & Co.
15	28-9-48	10-30 A.M. to 5 P.M.	S.S.D. Bombay.	Miscellaneous Salvage stores and M.T. Vehicles.	,,	Crawford & Co.
16	30-9-48	10-30 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Balmer Lawrie, Jakaria Bunder, Bombay.	Wire Seizing galv. single 1/8"x7 and 1/16"x7, Cones rubber for 3/4" gauge glasses, Emery Powder in 7 lbs. packet		—do—
17	—do—	3 P.M. to 5 P.M.	S.S.D. Colaba.	Gunny bags..		—do—

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TRADE AND FINANCE

UNEVENTFUL WEEK IN MONEY MARKETS

Absence Of Business In Gilt-Edged Markets

(From Our Special Correspondent.)

BOMBAY, Sept 10

MONEY

Conditions in the short-term money market remained unchanged, inter-bank call loans being quoted between 1/4 and 1/2 per cent. Fixed deposit rates also remained unaltered at 3/4 to 1 per cent. for three months and 1 to 1-1/2 per cent for six months. There were no Treasury Bill tenders invited during the week.

GILT-EDGED

A holiday atmosphere pervaded the gilt-edged market during the week and in the absence of any investment enquiry prices of most securities remained unchanged around their previous week's level. 3 per cent. 1986 conversion loan remained steady throughout at Rs. 99-11. All other dated loans kept practically pegged: 2-3/4 per cent. 1962 loan was quoted at Rs 100/2, 3 per cent. 1949/52 loan at Rs. 100/15 and 3 per cent. 1953/55 loan at Rs. 102/12. 3 per cent. 1963/65 loan was listless at Rs. 101/15. 3 per cent. 1968/69 loan at Rs. 101 and 3 per cent. 1970/75 loan at Rs. 100/5.

EXCHANGE

The rupee-sterling exchange market was featureless during the week with interbank business passing at 1s. 5-31/32d. for sellers and 1s. 6d. for buyers. Merchant rates fixed by the Exchange Banks' Association also remained unchanged as under:

Sellers of T T on London
Spot 1s. 5-31/32d.
Sellers of T T on London upto six months 1s. 5-15/16d
Buyers of T T London spot and upto nine months 1s. 6-1/32d.

In New York the sterling dollar cross-rate kept steady at dol. 4.03 for spot and dol. 4.01-3/4 for forward.

GOLD

Owing to the incidence of holidays, the week under review was a short-working one. Ready gold, which was quoted at Rs. 116/8 at the opening, steadily declined to Rs. 113 on Tuesday on buyers having been satisfied, but partially recovered to Rs. 115/8 towards the close. There were stray transactions for the 15th September delivery gold which was quoted about a rupee under the spot rate. In consonance with the fall in the gold price, the price of sovereigns also tapered down from Rs. 78/8 to Rs. 76/8 during the course of the week. Stocks of gold are reported to be about 30,000 tolas. Arrivals from upcountry averaged about 6,000 tolas the average daily offtake was said to be about 5,000 tolas. The highest and lowest rates for ready were Rs. 116/8 and Rs. 113.

SILVER

Owing to various rumours, the silver market witnessed wide fluctuations. From Rs. 175/8 at the opening spot silver 999 fine declined to Rs. 171 on Tuesday, and after firming up to Rs. 175 on Thursday on strong bull pressure, declined to 172/8 but closed better at Rs. 174/12. The backwardation charges widened from Rs. 1 to Rs. 7 on Thursday but narrowed down to Rs. 5/8 at the close. Floating stocks of silver in the market are estimated at 7,500 bars and the offtake showed a further improvement, being about 100 bars a day on average. In the overseas markets, owing to heavy consumer demand the New York silver price was stepped up further to 75-1/4 cents during the week, with a sympathetic rise in the London silver quotation to 46d. The highest and lowest rates touched were Rs. 175/5 and Rs. 171 for spot and Rs. 173/12 and Rs. 166/14 for settlement.

SHARES

This was a short-working week in the local share market owing to the incidence of holidays. Prices of most scrips suffered a further setback on speculative selling as well as lack of support pending the announcement by the Government of their proposals to check the inflationary trend. The deteriorating internal political situation also caused a quieter feeling.

Tata Defds. declined from Rs. 1515 to Rs. 1480 and Ordinaries were marked down from Rs. 299 to Rs. 295. Amongst Textiles, Bombay Dyeings lost ground from Rs. 1028/12 to Rs. 1012/8; Kohinoors and Swadeshis both touched the low of Rs. 292. Even the Hydro-electric and Bank shares experienced an easy spell with buyers scarce; Tata Powers were quoted lower at Rs. 1595 and Tata Hydros at Rs. 157. Imperial Bank Fully Paids suffered a sharp fall from Rs. 1970 to Rs. 1940; Bank of Indias found sellers at Rs. 195 and Central Banks at Rs. 83/8. In the miscellaneous group of shares, Associated Cements and Belapurs cheapened further to Rs. 154/8 and Rs. 248 respectively. Bombay Burmas eased off to Rs. 377/8 and Scindia Steams to Rs. 23/14.

CALCUTTA MARKETS

The jute section of the Calcutta shares market maintained a steady undertone on moderate buying support. Trading, however, was inclined to be small.

Madras Share Market

MADRAS, Sept. 10.

Hyderabad developments made operators cautious. Business was again at a minimum, rates remaining unaltered.

Market closed uneasy.

Following are todays closing quotations:—

SECURITIES:— Three percent 1986 Government of India loan 99/11 three percent 1970/75 Govt. of India loan 100/5 three percent 1952/54 Govt. of Travancore 103/1 three percent 1960 Govt. of Madras 101 -

BANKS:— Reserve 109/8 Travancore 21/-

PLANTINGS:— Chembhas 5/14/6 Devashola 17/8 Nellampathys 1/7/6 Ouchterlony 6/4 Periakaramalai 22/4 Pullangodes 1/5 Thirumbadi 2/5 T.R. and T Co. 6/13.

TEXTILES:— Buckinghams 171/- Ditto Pref. 196/- Cambodias 9/9 Coimbatore CM 90/8 Lakshmi 65/8 Maduras 39/4 Mettiurs 317/8 Mysore Spun 7/- Radhakhishnas 135/- Rajalakshmis 55/4 Ranga Vilas 43/- Trav Rayons 4/10 Tricninipolys 12/14.

MISCELLANEOUS:— Andhra cements 59/- Facts 6/2/6 India Cements 14/14 chem. 8/11 Mysore Chem Ferts 9/2.

Malabar Industries and Loyal Tex unchanged.

Hapur Market Rates

HAPUR, Sept. 10.

Yesterday's closing: Silver 151, Gold 102/6, Gur Fagan 9/8/1 1/2.

To-days: Silver forward 151/12, opened 151/4, Gold forward 102/12, opened quiet. Later steady.

Gur ready 14/8, Fagan 9/8, Opened 9/7, Bardana ready 109, Red 116, Asuu 105/8, Oct. 116, Wheat 26/23, Gram 14/12, Barley 14, Peas 15/4, Arhar 13/2, Moong 19, Urd 20, Sarson 25, Mustardoil 68, Oilcake 8/8, Cotton seed 14, Groundnuts 17, Oats 9/8, Pulses rising on continued exports despite food crisis in U.P. Grains also steady.

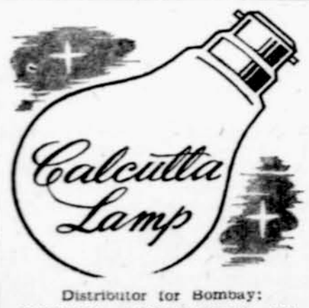
Ahmedabad Share Market

(From Our Correspondent.)

AHMEDABAD, Sept. 10.

Market ruled quiet and dull.

Closing quotations: Calico 1175, Arvind 1338, Ambika 378, Ashok 610, Jupiter 368, Bharat Survodaya 131-8, Bhaiwia 171-4, Deferred 1501.



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Calcutta Stock Exchange

CALCUTTA Sept 10 (API): The market continued quiet but steady along with a moderate business passing.

Following are today's final transactions upto 1-45 p.m.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES: 3 per cent Govt. paper 99/2 3 per cent loan 1986 99/10 three per cent loan 1951/54 102/9 three per cent loan 1593/55 102/12 three per cent loan 1949/52 100/13/6.

BANKS: Bharat Bank 4/14 Reserve Bank 112/- sl.

COTTONS: Cawnpore Textiles 12/- New Victoria Pref. 5/6.

COALS: Burrakur 20/11 Parasea Z/4 Talcher 4/13 Bharat Colliery 7/4 Equitable 40/2 Standard 18/-.

JUTES: Agarpara 25/15 Anglo India 291/- Slot Bally 266/- Odd Lot Caledonian 240/- Cumdiv Cheviot 260/- India 189/8 Kamarhatty 306/- Slot Nellimarla 30/7 Nuddea 87/- Auckland 253/- Barnagore 266/- Champdany 196/- Slot Chitavalsah 23/9 Kanknarrah 267/- Megna 138/- s lot.

MININGS: Burma Corpn. 3/8 Indian Copper 2/8 Engineerings: Burn and Co Ordy 280/- Kumardhibi Eng. 9/4 Marshalls 7/2 National Iron and Steel Corpn 20/15 Ditto Pref 120/8 Textile Machinery 8/-.

MISCELLANEOUS: Some Valley Cement 7/8 Calcutta Electric 22/12 Angelo Brothers 24/8 B I Corpn 7/14 Calcutta Trams 21/12 Indian Cables 37/13 Indian Wood Products 31/- Jardine Henderson 168/- s Lots Martin Burn 14/12 Metal Corpn 4/9 Ct National Tobacco 19/13 Rohtas Industry 8/6 Mysore Paper 13/8 Sl Star Paper 6/1 Assam Saws 7/7 India General Navgn 106/- India Steamship 10/14

SUGARS: Cawnpore 31/- New India 9/8 Ramnugger Cane 20/6 Samatipore 16/-.

TEAS: Baitakhal 5/6 Chamong 15/12 Grob 'A" 21/8 Namburnadi 11/8 Singell 79/- Small odd lot soom 14/2 Tezpore 26/8 s lot.

Calicut Market

CALICUT, Sept. 10.

Coiryarn Beypore 135/145, Quilandy 145/155, Fibre Garbled 100, Ungarbled 90, Cocoanuts raw 110/112, Dry 146/150, Cocoanut oil 490, Copra Office 235, Dilpasand 245, Madrasnottam 365, Pepper Wynaad 1400, Country 1380, Dry ginger Chernad 435, Ernad 420, Coffee Robusta 150, Timber pali 50/60, Junglewood 35/40, Vellapine 45/50, Bentcak 40/50, Teak 70/120, Mango 3/3/12, Teak 16/20, Rosewood 16/20.

NEW YORK PEPPER UNCHANGED

NEW YORK, Sept. 9 (UPA): Black pepper futures closed inactive and nominally unchanged on the New York market today. The spot market remained firm though quiet, with the attitude of domestic sellers being bolstered by dwindling stocks and added uncertainties over future shipments from India.

Closing prices included:

September	73
October-December	72
January	64
March	59
May	58
July	56

In the ready section, black pepper was quoted at 77-78 cents asked and white at 76 cents asked.

Other seed prices included: Castorseeds 130 dollars nom per long ton fob Brazilian ports; Cottonseeds 70 dollars nom per ton, basis Memphis, depending on quality; Linseed 6.10 dollars per bushel. Minneapolis: Linseed oil 27.8 cents per pound in tank cars; Groundnuts 18.50-75 cents per pound; Groundnut oil 25 cents per pound, nom.

BAZAR GOSSIP

The East India Cotton Association enjoys the sole monopoly of cotton trade, boasts of being the biggest exchange in Asia, and has perhaps the lowest trading standard. Evidently the members try to follow in the footsteps of the Congress: imitating the civil disobedience movement by defying the ban on Teji-mandi transactions by doing extensive business in new crop months without the sanction of the Government, and round it up all by not observing the rules and bye-laws in general. The Government has not done anything to establish a high standard of trading, or a respect for law. Unless this is accomplished, reckless gambling will continue.

It is news indeed to learn that the other day, some special trains were run from Bombay to deliver cotton to Ahmedabad mills! Because as we all know, there is a nation-wide cry for transport difficulties, and we also know that Bombay does not grow an ounce of cotton, and yet enjoys the monopoly of cotton-trade. If the Government would take a deeper interest in the question, it would easily be realised that up-country delivery of cotton against Bombay hedge-contract wil not only save the trouble of bringing thousands of bales of cotton and again railing them back to consuming centres, but will also lessen considerably the congestion in local warehouses.

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Money has very little value in the Bullion market where Bears are indulging in extensive short selling, relying on imports of silver per "S.S. Mystery", a ship which will never arrive—Bulls knowing fully well, that the sellers have no stocks, keep on manipulating the market. These bulls are said to have formed a syndicate and with their vast financial resources dictated the price of Rs. 174 for 100 tolas of actual silver while forward silver due to be delivered after a fortnight was offered at Rs. 167. This difference of Rs. 7/- breaks all world records. In London ready silver is sold at 46d against forward two months delivery quoted at the same price of 46d. Will the Government look into the matter, as silver and prices affect even remote people in villages?

The produce market was not free from wild rumours during the week. The recommendations to the Government in connection with the economic policy, reported in some papers, were misconstrued, and the request to fix ceiling and floor prices was followed by a wave of selling orders from all quarters which brought about a drop of Rs. 6/- in the price of May delivery of castorseed contract in less than two hours. The Government has made it amply clear that they are not bound to accept recommendations emanating from different groups but the market sentiment remained subdued and the price keeps on dwindling. It is feared that professional Bears may dart at this opportunity.

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With a view to abolish any cloth going into the Black Market, in Japan, special representatives are posted in each mill to take possession of daily production of cloth and report any increase or decrease in production giving reasons. Thus there is no Black Market in cloth in Japan. It is only lack of effective machinary in mills or at warehouses which gives chances to production going in Black Markets. Thus mere stamping of price will not have the desired effect and all co-operative stores who receive cloth for sale, may be asked to allow inspection of stock books when they are short of Goods so that the customer will have no cause to complain. In the absence of this check some piecegoods may find way to the Black Market.

U. S. GRAIN EXPORT ALLOCATIONS REMAIN STEADY.

INDIA ALLOTTED 510,000 LONG TONS FOR FOURTH QUARTER

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7. —The United States will export more than 143 million bushels of grain to other nations during the current October-December quarter of this year, according to approved allocations announced by the Agriculture Department.

This total includes 107,581,000 bushels of wheat and flour in wheat equivalent, and brings the export allocation of wheat and wheat flour for the entire July-December period to about the same total as that shipped in the same period of 1947.

Allocations for countries under the U.S. Economic Co-operation Administration programs, including those that finance their own purchases, account for 69 per cent of the October-December totals. Approximately 38 p. c. of this is for the occupied zones of Germany. Another nine per cent of the quarterly total will go to the U.S. occupied zones of Japan and Korea, and the remaining 22 per cent will be moved to other countries, including Egypt, India, Iraq Liberia Lebanon, Saudi Arabia and Tangier.

The whole 1948 July-December program calls for wheat and flour exports totalling 250,800,000 bushels. The wheat and flour total for the second half year of 1947 was 255,100,000 bushels. The 1948 figure, however, does not include wheat and flour shipped to the Western Hemisphere countries and the Philippines under the general license which went into effect August 27.

Among the larger amounts to be delivered are (in long tons): Bizonal Germany, 861,000; India 510000; Italy 445,000; Japan and Korea 336,000; Austria 171,000; the Netherlands 258,000; Belgium 147,000; Greece 162,000; Switzerland 117,000; and French zone Germany 108,000.

Begining December 1, all shipments of wheat will be made through commercial channels with the exception of those going to four countries—Austria, Greece, the occupied zones and Trieste. They will continue receiving grain through the Production and Marketing Administration.—USIS

LONDON PEPPER PRICES

LONDON, Sept. 9 (UPA): On the London market today, black pepper was quoted at 3-4 and white at 3.6-1 2.

Latest Commercial

Latest Commercial News

NEW YORK COTTON OCTOBER

NEW YORK, Sept. 10

Previous Closing	30.95
Today's Opening	30.94
Difference	—1
Today's Closing	31.10
Difference	+15

LAST QUOTATIONS

Bombay, Sept. 10.

Silver Bullion Forward (New)

	Rs. 170-2
Silver Ready	Rs. 176-2
Gold Ready	Rs. 115-8
Sovereign	Rs. 77-0

Expectation:

Cotton Jarila Sept. Rs. 558-0

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Sept 10.

Anaconda Copper Mining 36-1/4.

New York Stock Exchange opening prices:—

General Motors 63-1/4.

United States Steel 79.

United States Steel pref. unquoted.

London Stock Exchange

LONDON, Sept. 10, (Reuter): Slightly better feelings prevailed throughout most sections today in Londons Stockmarkets. The improvements were attributed to yesterdays Berlin anti-communist demonstration which was the first practical sign that opposition is in existence among the Berlin people.

Transport issues were again active. Tillings featured at 1159 but after some profittaking closed around 114 Shillings. Cable and wireless shares were also in demand the ordinary being around ninepoints higher at 205 Aircraft and other motor shares were generally better whilst breweries were a few pence easier, Likewise tobaccos Oil shares showed several small improvements.

Small sales and an absence of support made for losses upto 16th among Giltedgeds.

The Kaffir market was quietly firm with interest mainly centered in new pioneers which closed 6 Shillings higher around 389. The demand for this issue followed an announcement of good developments. Elsewhere copper share were inclined to be dull on the news that fuel difficulties were being encountered by Rokana Company. The price at which this stock closed was 316th lower at 13 1/4.

CURTAILED ACTIVITY ON WORTH STREET

NEW YORK Sept. 9 (UPA): Activity on the Worth Street Cotton Cloth Market was curtailed today by the continued trucking strike and curtailment of manufacturing operations locally.

Mill representatives said they were attempting to abide by buyer requests to change shipping instructions by truck to rail.

Converters indicated that delivery problems were acting to put a damper on spring line buying plans.

In burlap dealers reported a quickening demand for spot and afloat goods at strengthening prices.

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Bombay, 9-9-1948.

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BOMBAY Stock Exchange

Decline In Steel Shares On Renewed Selling

BOMBAY, Sept. 9.

The Bombay Stock Exchange was quiet today under further liquidation in Steel Shares while cotton mill shares were mostly supported by interested parties. Outside participation remains at a low level, while most of the changes in prices are due to jobbing business. There is a general tendency to await the declaration of the economic policy, otherwise the trend of the market suggests lower levels.

Tata Steel Defds. opened at Rs. 1485 against yesterday's close at Rs. 1512/8. After a small initial decline the market improved at Rs. 1497-8 on short covering. Thereafter, there was renewed selling which depressed Defds. at Rs. 1480 but rallied at Rs. 1492 on short covering. Ordinary shares were placed at Rs. 295/8. Indian Irons were done at Rs. 25/7 while Bengal Steels were quoted at Rs. 20/14.

Bombay Dyeing Shares opened at Rs. 1015 and after declining at Rs. 1012/8 improved at Rs. 1023/12 on moderate support. Thereafter, a bearish drive resulted in a drop of Rs. 10 and Dyeings were quoted at Rs. 1012, but timely support from interested bulls rallied the market at Rs. 1021/4. Kohinoor Shares opened at Rs. 293 and after declining at Rs. 292 improved at Rs. 296. Indore Malwas were done at Rs. 497/8 while Finlays came in business at Rs. 277. Gokaks were steady at Rs. 285. Swadeshi Shares were placed at Rs. 294/6 while Simplex Shares were done at Rs. 178. Colaba Lands were quoted at Rs. 140.

The Bank Section again ruled quiet to-day and under increased selling pressure quotations were marked down. Central Bank Shares were done at Rs. 83/8 while Imperials old opened at Rs. 1950 and declined at Rs. 1935. Partly paid were quoted at Rs. 475. India Bank Shares were done at Rs. 193 and Reserve Bank Shares were quoted at Rs. 112/8.

In the miscellaneous section trading was slow with minor changes. Associated cement shares were quoted at Rs. 154 while Belapurs were done at Rs. 248/8. Bombay Burmas were placed at Rs. 377/8. Premier Constructions were done at Rs. 183. Scindia Shares changed hands at Rs. 23/12. Tata Hydro were quoted at Rs. 155 while Ahmedabad Electric shares were quoted at Rs. 120.

FORWARD SECTION

Bombay Dyeing (12/8)	1016 4
Kohinoor Mills (6-12)	296 0
Swadeshi Mills (22)	294 0
Central India Mills (4)	263 0
Simplex Mills	178 8
New Great Eastern (10)	152 8
Gokak Mills (9 plus 3)	285 0
Indore Malwa (21)	497 8
Century Spinning (15)	519 6
Colaba Land and Mills (12)	143 12
Indian Bleaching (6)	173 0
Swan Mills (20)	325 0
Finlay Mills (15)	277 0
Morarji Goculdas	497 8
Edward Sassoon (30)	500 0
Meyer Mills (12)	146 4
Apollo Mills (ex. 4)	2 15 6
India United Ord. (0-13/9)	11 10
India United Defd. (0-2-6)	1 15
Madhusudan Mills (15)	241 4
Podar (S.)	160 0
Khatau Makanjee (8)	247 8
STEEL SHARES	
Tata Steel Ord. (14)	296 8
Tata Steel Defd. (64-14-1)	1488 12
Tata Steel 2nd Pref. (7-8)	142 0
CEMENT	
Associated Cement (5)	154 8
INDUSTRIES	
Burma (12-8)	377 8
Belapur Sugar (12) XR	248 0
Shivrajpur Syndicate (1-8)	34 0
Scindia Steam (1-4)	23 14
Premier Construction	183 8
Tata Chemicals	14 0
Tata Oil (2)	55 12
India Iron (0-6)	25 6
Bengal Steel (0-8)	20 15
ELECTRIC SHARES	
Tata Hydro (4-8)	157 0
Andhra Valley (45)	1497 8
Tata Power (50)	1595 0

CASH SECTION

COTTON MILLS	
Elphinstone Mills (5)	74 0
Phoenix Mills (50)	453 12
Indian Manufacturing	4260 0
Kooria Mills (5) X.R.	148 12
Dawn Mills (40)	1000 0
David Mills (6)	191 4
New City Mills (10)	212 8
Minerva Mills (12)	161 4
Bradbury Mills (12)	700 0
Bharucha Defd. (0-4)	5 5
Bharat Mills (2)	35 8
Mysore Spg. Mills	192 8
Madhovji Dharamsi (0-12)	15 0
Model Mills (12-8)	177 8
Lakshmi Cotton (25)	702 8
Vishnu Cotton (8) XD	240 0
Western India (40)	4010 0
Standard Mills (15)	580 0
Sholapur Mills (200)	4520 0
Sassoon Cotton Mills (0-8)	12 8
Hindustan Mills (40)	4185 0
Tata Mils (3)	66 12
Ahmedabad Advance Old (9)	277 8
Ahmedabad Advance New	195 0
Sassoon Silk (3)	91 0
New Union Mills (0-8)	12 4
Madhusudan B (2-8)	47 0
Shrinivas Mills	195 0
Raja Bahadur Poona (4)	126 4
Berar Mills	275 0
Victoria Mills	225 0
Colaba Land Coupon	42 0
New Great New	142 0
ELECTRIC SHARES	
Ahmedabad Electric (3-8)	119 6
Ahmedabad New	13 2
Surat Electricity (2-8)	142 8
Surat New	142 8
Karachi Electric Supply (2)	147 8
Broach (0-5)	11 0
Ajmer Electricity (0-8)	16 12
Amalgamated (0-12)	13 4
Nagpur Electricity (1-12)	53 0
Poona Electric Supply	157 8
Bombay Suburban Old (3)	150 0
Bombay Suburban New (2) XD	131 4
BANK SHARES	
Reserve Bank (2-12)	112 0
Imperial Bank of India (35)	1940 0
Imperial Bank of India (8-12)	476 4
Central Bank Old (1-8) XD	83 8
Central Bank New	85 8
Bank of India (4)	195 0
Union Bank of India	8 14
Bank of Boroda (2-8) X.D.	153 0
Habib Bank (4)	161 0
Devkaran Nanjee Bank (1-8)	52 0
United Commercial (1-8)	60 8
Jaipur Bank (1/6)	48 0
Hindustan Commercial	27 0
Mysore Bank (8)	865 0
Exchange Bank	38 0
Eastern Bank	105 0
Bank of India Coupon	38 0
INSURANCE	
Oriental	5150 0
Empire	675 0
New India	62 4
Jupiter	25 0
Vulcan	13 4
Indian Mercantile (2)	44 0
Universal	11 4
B. I. G.	23 14
Industrial and Prudential	29 8
Neptune Assurance	7 0
New Great	25 0
All India Central	21 12
RAILWAY SHARES	
Central Provinces (1-4)	108 0
Mymensingh Rebate (2)	103 0
Mymensingh Guaranteed (1-4)	103 12
Pachora Jamner Rly. (2-8)	115 0
MISCELLANEOUS SHARES	
Alcock Ashdown (15)	308 12
Bombay Steamer (28)	598 12
Bombay Burma New (5)	136 14
British Burma Petrol	1-15-6
Mackenzie (6)	90 0
Port Canning (6)	75 4
Kemp and Co. (New)	462 8
Kemp and Co. (30)	475 0
Zandu Pharmacy (7)	150 0
Industrial Invest. Trust (4)	99 8
Western India Match (7-5)	301 4
Dharamsey Chemical (2)	34 4
Mukund Iron	10 0
Dena Trust (0-12)	21 0
Alembic Chemical (15) X. R.	205 0
Supreme India	123 12
Jam Wire (6)	73 0
Bombay Uganda	69 1
Bombay Motor Cycle	42 0
Walchand Nagar Industries	198 12
United Motor	74 0
Associated Cement New (1-4)	95 8
Bombay Safe Deposit (27)	910 8
Hydary Construction	19 8
Mahmadi Steam	95 0
Gujarat Motor	25 2
Sardar Carbonic	750 0
Harvey Press	310 0
Estrela Batteries	51 0
Prince of Wales Press	610 0
Manmad Press	120 0
PREFERENCE SHARES	
Tata Steel 1st (6)	192 8
Andhra Valley (7)	1310 0
Tata Power (7-8)	1392 8
Hydro Electric (7)	130 0
Bombay Steamer (6)	310 0
Central India (5)	652 8
Swadeshi Mills	146 4
Vishnu Mills (7)	647 8
Lakshmi Mills	277 8
New Great Mills (5/8)	223 8
Podar Mills (4)	105 0
Shrinivas Mills	98 0
Elphinstone Mills (7)	113 2
Bradbury Mills (7-8)	379 6
Surat Electricity (3/4)	131 4
Premier Construction 1st (6-1/4	120 0
Premier Construction 2nd (6-4)	120 0
Amalgamated (5-8)	123 2
Habib	72 0
Tata Chemical (5)	137 8
Walchand Nagar Indus (7)	160 0
Jupiter General	19 14
Supreme	120 0
Meyer	121 0
Mackenzie 1st	127 8
Mackenzie 2nd	125 0
Ahmedabad Advance	132 8
Mysore Mills	50 0
Standard Mills	101 0
Madhusudan Mills	12 0
Khatau Mills	105 0
DEBENTURES	
Andhra 1952 (4)	103 8
Bombay Steamer (1959) (4-8)	107 0
Indian Hume Pipe (6)	111 0
Tata Power 1951	103 0
Walchand Nagpur (6)	117 0
OUTSIDE SHARES	
Indian Copper (2-7) X-D	2 8
British India Corpn. (0-10)	7 13
Burma Corporation	3 3
New Victoria Mill	3 12
Phalton Sugar (2)	123 8
Gold Mohur (20)	325 0
New Kaiser-i-Hind	375 0
Sajjan Mills (3)	225 0
Osmanshahi Mills (10)	1 1
Azam Jahi Mills (10)	260 0
Air Service	11 0
Ambica Air Lines	15 2
Air India (X-D)	145 0
Hind Motor	5 14 6
Indian Steam	10 13

INDIAN STOCK EXCHANGE

BOMBAY, Sept. 10.

Tata Ordinary 296-8, Tata Deferred 1488-12, Indian Iron 25-6, Steel Corpn. of Bengal 20-15, Bombay Dyeing 1016-4, Central India 263-2, Gokak 285, Kohinoor 296, Simplex 198-12, Swadeshi 293-12, Tata Power 1595, Associated Cement 154-6, Belapur 248-12, Bombay Burma (Old) 377-8, Scindia 23-14, Central Bank 83-8, New India 62-4, Tata 2nd Pref. 141-14.

Hessian Market

BOMBAY, Sept. 10.

	Pics.
45 x 11	
Ready	110-1/2
Aug-Sept.	111
Oct/Dec.	113
D. W. 40 x 28	
Ready	117 0 0
Aug/Sept.	116 0 0
Oct/Dec.	115 8 0

20/22 Yellow Silk

September	26 6 0
October	26 6 0
Ready	26 5 0

GOLD & SILVER

BOMBAY, Sept. 10:

The local bullion market was steady today on increased buying in Silver influenced by reports that the Government announcement on the economic policy will not be released until the end of the month.

Forward Silver opened today at Rs. 168/2 and advanced at Rs 159/4 on moderate buying and short covering. Ready Silver was quoted at Rs. 175/12.

Spot Gold business was reported at Rs. 115/- and Sovereigns were done at Rs. 76/12.

Final quotations were as under:—

Ready Silver	175 8 0
Forward Silver	169 8 0
Ready Gold	114 4 0
Sovereigns	76 12 0

NEW YORK SILVER

NEW YORK, Sept 9.

U. S. Price of foreign silver 75-1/4 cents

PRODUCE MARKET

Bombay, Sept. 10

The Produce market was steady today with slightly improved demand for Groundnuts.

Castorseeds May delivery opened today at Rs. 116-8 and improved at Rs. 117-8 on professional covering but under renewed selling declined at Rs 116-8 but again firmed up.

Quotations were as under:—

GROUNDNUTS:	
Khandesh quality	33 4 0
Coromandal	32 4 0
Bold ready	32 4 0
Bold December-January	29 0 0
CASTORSEEDS:	
Ready	30 12 0
May delivery	118 6 0
LINSEEDS:	
Ready	26 6 0
Sept.-Oct. delivery	26 8 0
Nov.-Dec. delivery	27 0 0
GROUNDNUT OILS:	
Ready receipts	18 4 0
October	18 4 0
November	17 9 0
December	17 5 0
Linseed oil	16 9 0
Castorseed oil first pressing	19 0 0
Castorseed oil Commercial Quality	17 8 0

Sugar Market

BOMBAY, Sept. 10.

Small Grain	105 0 0
Medium Size	108 0 0
Big Sieze	113 0 0
Extra Big	115 0 0
October Dely.	36 15 0
January Dely.	31 3 0
Arrival Bags	10043

Metal Market

BOMBAY, Sept. 10.

Tin Aso Dely.	61 0 0
Copper Aso Dely.	59 12 0

Pepper Prices

BOMBAY, Sept. 10.

Magsar	182 to 184
Maha Dely.	178 to 180

Italian Art Silk Yarn

BOMBAY, Sept. 10.

150 D. September	4 5 0
150 D. October	4 5 5
150 D. Ready	4 6 0
120 D. Ready	4 6 0

GOVERNMENT LOANS

2 1/4 per cent 1954	98 14
2 1/4 per cent 1950	101 0
2 1/2 per cent 1961	97 2
2 3/4 per cent 1960	100 2
2 3/4 per cent 1962	100 2
2 3/4 per cent 1976	98 14
3 per cent Non-Terminable	99 6
3 per cent 1986 Con.	99 11
3 per cent 1949-52	106 15
3 per cent 1951-54	102 12
3 per cent 1953-55	102 14
3 per cent 1951	102 8
3 per cent 1959-61	101 15
3 per cent 1963-65	100 15
3 per cent 1966-68	100 6
3 per cent 1970-75	100 5
3 1/2 per cent 1954-59	105 6
4 per cent 1948-53	101 2
4 per cent 1960-70	110 12
4 1/2 per cent 1950-55	104 8
4 1/2 per cent 1955-60	112 6
4 1/2 per cent 1958-68	116 0
PROVINCIAL LOANS	
2 3/4 per cent Madras 1961	89 0
2 3/4 per cent U. P. 1961	98 0
3 per cent Punjab 1949	98 14
3 per cent Bombay 1955	100 8
3 per cent Bombay 1958	101 12
3 per cent Madras 1952-53	100 6
3 per cent U. P. 1952	100 6
3 per cent C. P. 1952	100 6
3 per cent N. W. F. 1952	99 10
3 per cent U. P. 1961-66	100 2
4 per cent Bombay Municipality D	111 0
5 per cent Bom. Muni. 1959	115 0
6 per cent Bom. Muni. 1954	116 0
3-1/4 per cent Municipality 1977	101 8
6 K. P. T.	114 0

BOMBAY COTTON

BOMBAY, Sept. 10:

The cotton market was fairly steady with moderate business. September delivery opened at Rs. 555/- and advanced at Rs. 558/- under moderate covering. At this level there was some liquidation and September declined at Rs. 553/-. Renewed buying developed and the market steadied at Rs. 555/-.

Trading in new crop was reported at Rs. 572/-. The difference between new and old crops is about Rs. 17/. Some business was done in teji mundi due on 21st Sept. in new crop at a premium of Rs. 10/-.

As far as Septembers is concerned, open interest is mostly evened up. Bulls are making all efforts to push up prices and the remaining shorts will have to pay higher prices.

There is shortage of good cotton in the local market and out of a total stock of about 875 thousand bales, unsold stock is estimated at 3 lakh bales, which includes about one lakh bales of short staple like Bengal's. Thus the remaining stock of 2 lakh bales will be available for mills. There are still four months for the new crop to arrive and there will be acute shortage of good cotton. Early arrivals will be taken up my mills.

Later on there was renewed buying and September was quoted at Rs. 561/- while new crop was quoted at Rs. 573/-.

The market advanced at Rs. 564/- but reacted at Rs. 558/- New crop was quoted at Rs. 570/- closing quotation at 4-30 p.m. was as under.

I.C.C. September 558 0 0

INDIAN COTTON PARITY

Indian Cotton September contract is 941 cent points below New York October at Exchange rate 331.

CHANGE IN BASIS OF INDIAN COTTON HEDGE CONTRACT

Decision Taken At General Meeting Of E.I.C.A

The adjourned general meeting of the East India Cotton Association was held on Thursday afternoon in the Association hall under the presidentship of Sir Purshotamdas Thakurdas.

Sir Purshotamdas informed the members that so far no information has been received from the Government regarding that the new basis fixed by the Government shall be applicable to the contracts prior to the date of announcement. He also said that there is wide disparity of views In replying to the question of Seth Begraj whether (a) reimposition or (b) change either way or (c) removal of floors and ceilings of cotton by the Government of India affect the contracts entered into prior to the date of such reimposition change or removal. Sir Purshotamdas said, "Yes."

Then Sjt. Bhavanji Arjan moved the following amendment:

That the new hedge contracts in cotton should be started on the basis of 25/32" staple with a tolerance of 1/32" staple and 3/4" staple would be tenderable and to reduce the penalty from Rs. 25 to Rs. 7/8 in case of failure for not giving delivery."

Seth Ramnath Podar seconded the amendment and said that what about the cotton between 23/32" and 3/4" staple and hence he requested the President to convey to the Government to accept cotton upto 23/32" as Government was doing before.

Seth Jagjivan Dosabhai said that the Board has passed unanimously the amendment of Sjt. Bhavanji Arjan and he expressed the hope that Government would accept cotton upto 23/32" staple. "We all are passing through difficulties and so we have to work in the existing circumstances.

Sjt. Premchand Kedia opposed the amendment and said that this will have effect on forward business and there should be no tolerance.

While replying Sjt. Bhavanji Arjan said that at present we are in deficit of high staple cotton due to partiton of the country and the Government is anxious to see that high staple cotton production in India is increased and so Government has asked us to deal in 25/32" staple cotton. In the present circumstances the terms of the contract are the best that can be drafted. Mixings will be discouraged if we don't want Government's and mills criticism. Government should give assurance to buy cotton if prices go below the floor level as it was giyen in previous years.

Then the amendment of Sjt. Bhavanji Arjan was passed by a large majority.

Some amendments in the emergency bye-laws were made and the meeting terminated.

Record Of Actual Transactions In Shares

Bombay, Sept. 10.

MILLS

Apollo 3-0-6 2-15-6 3 2-15-6
Bharat 35-4, 35-8
B. Dyeing 1015 12-8, 23-12 12-8 20 16-4 21-4 16-4
C. India 265 63 64 63
C. India Pref. 652-8
Century 520 18-12 19-6
Colaba 140 43-12
E. Textiles 500
Finlay 275 77
Gokak 284-8 86 85
I. U. Defd. 1-15 1-15-6 1-15
I. U. Ord. 11-14 11-12 11-13 11-10
Indore 492-8 97-8
Kohinoor 293 92 97 94 95-8 94-8 96-3 96.
Madhavji 15
Mysore 192-8
New Great 152-8
Phoenix 453-12
Podar 160
Simplex 178 81 78 79 78-8
Swadeshi 293 92 95 93 95 94
Tata Mills 66-12
Vishnu 250 40

BANKS

Baroda 153
Central 83 83-8 83 83-8
Imperial Old 1950 35 40
Imperial New 475 76-4
India 194 93 95
Reserve 112-8 12
Union 8-14
U Commercial 60-8

ELECTRIC

Ahmedabad 11914 20-10 19-6
Surat 143-12 42-8
Hydro 155 57
Power 1596-4 95

INSURANCE

B. I. General 23-14
New India 62-8 62-4
Empire 675

STEAMER

B. Steam 588-12
B. Pref. 310
Scindia 23-12 23-8 23-13 23-12 23-15 23-14

STEEL

B. Steel 20-10 20-15
I. Iron 25-4 25-7 25-6
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Company Reports

Punjab National Bank Ltd.

The Directors' report of the above Bank for the year ended December 1947 states that the transactions for the year under report have resulted in a profit of Rs. 71,02,386-4-5 (including Rs. 1,04,111-13-3 brought forward from the previous year's account). The following amounts have been appropriated as indicated in the Profit and Loss Statement for the undermentioned purpose:—

To payment of bonus to the staff Rs. 6,70,493-11-6. To writing off bad and doubtful debts and losses mostly arising out of the disturbances following the Partition of India. Rs. 63,97,079-11-7, total Rs. 70,67,573-7-1 This leaves a balance of Rs. 34,812-13-4 as carried over in the Balance-sheet.

The Directors consider that the working of the Bank during the year has been satisfactory and that all losses arising out of the disturbances have been fully met with. During the year the communal riots in the undivided Punjab and other parts of India assumed unprecedented proportions resulting in the widespread destruction of goods and property. On account of the conservative policy pursued by the Board of Directors in the matter of Loans and Advances our losses remained within manageable limits. The staff was reorganised and regrouped and was instructed to help Lahore office to shift records to various centres for payment of the accounts of the depositors and to salvage the assets of the Bank. Except for Peshawar Cantt. the records of all the branches in West Pakistan have been secured.

"Fifth Session Of The Deccan Sugar Technologists' Association"

The Fifth Annual Session of the Deccan Sugar Technologists' Association will be held at Malinagar (colony of the Saswad Mali Sugar Factory near Akluj) District Sholapur on Saturday the 25th and Sunday the 26th September. The Hon. Dr. M. D. D. Gilder, Minister for Health and P. W. D., Government of Bombay has kindly consented to inaugurate the session. All members of the Association are requested to attend the session.

CHICAGO WHEAT

CHICAGO, Sept. 9.

September	2.21-1/2
December	2.24-1/2
May	2.14-5/8
July	1.92-3/4

LONDON WHEAT

LONDON, Sept. 9.

Australian wheat fob (Bulk) 109/- oct/nov

Absence Of Hedge Selling Pressure On N. Y. Cotton Exchange

WALL STREET EASY ON NERVOUS LONG LIQUIDATION

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.

COTTON: The market opened quiet and narrow with traders awaiting developments particularly in the export fields. Meanwhile the lack of hedges and loan support influences continued to offset the large crop prospects. Prices continued to fluctuate narrowly during late dealings awaiting developments. The appearance of small routine trade demands, principally for December 1949 comprised the main activity. The market held relatively steady however with the absence of hedge pressure the chief supporting factor. The session closed steady. Sales are estimated at 75,000 bales.

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK Sept. 9

October	30.95+01
October highest	30.97+03
October lowest	30.92—02
December	30.76
March	30.57—01
May	30.30—02
July	29.16
Middling spot	31.90+01

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW YORK Sept. 9.

October	30.93+03
December	30.71—01
March	30.51—02
May	30.26—04
Middling spot	30.90

WALL STREET MARKET

STOCKS: Wednesday's decline was initially extended by fractions to one dollar or more over a fairly broad front as a somewhat larger volume of nervous liquidation and profittaking appeared reflection of foreign political worries, some spread of domestic labour tieups and federal reserve board's latest deflationary step in ordering member banks to increase cash reserves. The pressure tended to abate in the second hour and a cautious rally forefronted by leading steels, rails, oils, motors, motor equipments, minings and aircrafts found the market at midday only fractions to one irregularly lower. Sellers renewed their activities and leading issues soon registered new low levels for the day. With the volume occasionally broadening, assorted steels, aircrafts, motors, oils, rails, textiles and specialities pointed the way to liberally distributed losses covering two dollars or so which together with yesterday's decline erased the earlier September improvement and brought the industrials average to the lowest since mid-August. Some selling of rails arose from the embargo ordeded on rail freight shipments to atlantic and gulf coast ports for ocean shipment to the west-coast because the westcoast maritime strike is affecting operations of intercoastal steamship. The market closed at or around the day's lows, easy. The averages were Industrials 182.42 and rails 61.06.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.

American Telephone and Telegraph 153-3/4; Amerex Holding Co 25, Anaconda Copper Mining 36-1/4, Chase National Bank 35-3/4, Sinclair Oil 25-1/2; Firestone Tyre and Rubber Co. 46-1/8; General Electric Co. 39-3/4; General Motors 62-3/4; Ingersol Rand 71; International Nickel 31-1/4; National City Bank of New York 39-1/2; New York Central Rail Road Co. 16-3/4; Socony Vacuum Corporation 18-1/4; Texas Corporation, 56-1/2; Union Carbide Newstock 40-1/4; U. S. Smelting Refining Mining Co. 47; U. S. Steel Corporation common 79-1/8; Western Union Telegraph 20-1/2.

LONDON DISCOUNT RATES

Day to Day Loan	1/2 to 3/4 p. c.
Short Money	1/2 to 3/4 p. c.
Bank bills three mths.	9/16 p. c.
Bank bills six mths.	5/8 p. c.
Fine trade bills three mths.	1 to 1-1/2 p.c.
Fine trade bills six mths.	1-1/2 to 2 per cent
Treasury bills two months	1/2 to 17/32 p. c.
Treasury bills six months	1/2 to 17/32 p. c.

NEW YORK EXCHANGES

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.

London	4.02-3/4 to 4.03-1/4
London free	4.03-3/16 to 4.03-5/16
London 3 mths.	4.01-3/16 to 4.01-9/16
Sterling Pound	2.81 to 2.83
Paris	0.4657 to 0.4671
Paris free	0.32-3/8 to 0.32-1/2
Bombay	30.22
Bombay free	30.23 offered
Switzerland free	25.46 to 25.52
Switzerland Com.	23.40
Argentine	29.77
Argentine free	20.90 offered
Shanghai	4.05 sellers
Shanghai free	unquoted

CHICAGO GRAIN REACTS SHARPLY

CHICAGO, Sept 9 (UPA): Grain prices reacted sharply after an irregular start following the pause in flour mill demand and the withdrawal of government interest in the cash market.

September corn broke four cents from the early highs as the recent sharp upswing attracted heavier producer marketings and caused the lower cash basis.

Closing prices included:

WHEAT—September	2,21-1|2,
December	2,24-1|2-3|8
May	2.14-5|8-3|4,
July	1.92-3|4.
MAIZE—September	1.67-3|4-1.68-1|4,
December	1.39-1|2-5|8,
May	1.42-7|8-3|4,
July	1.43-3|4.

LONDON EXCHANGES

LONDON, Sept. 9

T.T. London on:

New York selling 4.0275; New York buying 4.0325.

Montreal selling 4.0275: Montreal buying 4.0325.

Zurich selling 17.34: Zurich buying 17.36.

Stockholm 14.47 to 14.50.

LONDON BULLION

LONDON, Sept. 9

Silver spot	46 d.
Forward	46 d.
Gold bars fine per oz.	£8/12/3

Shipping News

IMPORTS

S. S. STEEL VENDER

From New York:—

2299 drums lub. oil 112 cases trucks 40 drums rubber accelors 100 druming mineral while oil, 2660 pkgs. sodteash 124 bdls. newsprint paper 476 drums caustic soda 60 boxes refrigeriting machinery 373 ctns. books 144 metal contract limplate 40 ctns. printed books 1440 maple-wood for bobbins 893 bdls shattle blocks 500 drums white patroleum oil 76 cases machinery parts 133 boxes jeep parts 480 bags powdered Standard Co. 110 cases pharmaceuticals 34 cases penicilins 30 bdls camphor 67 cases alluminium 179 bdls new galvanized steel water 153 pieces seamless steel boiler tubes 284 drums white oil technical 494 ctn break fluids 40 drums hydro quinine 100 bdls black plate 85 cases auto mark fluid 60 cases duplicating machinery.

S. S. KHANDALA

From Mombassa:—

7430 bales cotton 5000 bags soda ash 236 bags potatoes.

S. S. PEMBA

From Mombasa:—

7500 bags soda ash 1088 bdls cloves 35 bales goat skins 7959 bales cotton.

S. S. VIRGINIA MAY

From Karachi:—

352 bales yellow gilkings cotton 139 bags Indian drug 73 bags fish maura 173 bags khishmi 63 bags zeera 72 cases steel film 90 cases flossware 100 drums dispencers 20000 bags cement 500 bags cumin seeds 25 bags dryfish 271 bags pista dodi 30 cases mansion flour polish 200 bags earthfuller.

S. S. PRESIDENT FILMORE

From Los Angles:—

299 drums lubricating oil 3306 bags soda ash 1160 bags borax

From San Francisco:—

1555 zags Bolivan antimony sulphide 1425 drums pet tuxx xoil 119 crates fable wall-board.

From Hongkong:—

87 bales Cassia 100 cases timbers

From Manila:—

1250 pes brass radiotors 133 dums shrap heavy copper 397 kcs scarp radiators 687 brass perups 158 drums scrap heavy brass 195 drums scrap copper wire.

S. S. CLIFFSIDE

From Montreal:—

99 bags paraffin wax 359 rolls printed paper 35 drums antomotive laquers.

EXPORTS

GOODS ENTERED FOR EXPORT.

S.S. INDIAN PIONEER.

To Karachi:—15 bags rubber baloons—M. Rubber Products; 40 cases art silk piecegoods—H. A. Haji Sallar; 5 cases art silk piecegoods—Ismail and Co.; 5 bdls aluminium ware—Bharat Aluminium Stores; 16 bdls copper pots M. Hussain and Bros; 57 bdls aluminium pots M. Hussain and Bros; 50 bales woollen banians and 32 bags better foot wear—A. Nooranbhai; 100 drums silicate of soda—M. M. H. Nurmohamed; 100 cases peppermint—H. Fulchand; 10 bales cotton waste—M. Ismail; 200 cases confectionery—H. S. P. Joosab; 15 bags hemaj—Ismail and Co.

S. S. BHADRAVALI.

To Karachi:—50 drums cilicate of soda—M. A. Abdulkarim; 12 cases art silk piecegoods—D. B. Satwain.

S. S. GAZANA.

To Karachi:—25 cases haid oil—A Ebrahim; 25 cases hair oil—M. A. Chawla; 20 cases art silk piecegoods—M. A. M. Rufik; 10 bags absorbant cotton wool—L. J. Hallen.

S. S. BARPETA.

To Colombo—35 cases ayurvedic preparation—Shah Trading Co.; 50 bags glass bottles—Star Glass Works.

S. S. SIR JOHN FRANKLIN

TO SHANGHAI: 3000 bales cotton raw—China Trading and Industries Deve. Ltd.

TO SINGAPORE: 50 bdls corriander seed—R. Puroshottam and Co.

S. S. ALDER AMIN

TO MARSEILES: 666 bags niger seeds—Eastern Traders Ltd.

S. S. VIRGINIA MAY

TO KARACHI: 25 bag sugar candy and 50 bags jagree powder—A. S. H. Abamohmed. 60 bags bidi leaves—M. H. A. Karim. 25 drums castor oil—A. S. H. Abamohmed. 30 drums mawra seed oil—R. E. H. Valimohmed.

S. S. AMRA

TO ADEN: 10 bags kapur katri—M. Vandravan.

TO ANTWERP: 110 bales cotton waste—Sapt. Textile Products (India) Ltd.,

TO ROTTERDAM: 110 bals cotton waste—Sapt. Textile Products (India) Ltd.

S. S. PRESIDENT FILMORE

TO NEW YORK: 100 bales hessian rag—Sapt. Textile Products.

BY AIR

TO KARACHI: 27 pkgs. art silk piecegoods—G. S. Dadarwalla, 65 pkgs art silk piecegoods—Jaybharat Yarn Trad., 105 pkgs. rayon yarn piecegoods—G. S. Dadarwalla.

Arrivals And Departures Of Steamers

ARRIVALS

S. S. "Alderman" 9-9-'48 Name of Master L. Kok, Nationality — Dutch. Agents: Volkart Bros Cross Tonnage 7268,91 Nett Tonnage 4456,96 with 748 tons of general cargo from—Aden and Bahrin.

S. S. "City of Lille" 9-9-'48 British Hall Line Ltd. Master — E. Scrymgeour from Aden and Karachi with general cargo, Gross Tonnage 6588, Nett Tonnage 4052.

S. S. "Hoegh Silverspray" Gross Tonnage 6247,33 Norwegian, Agents: Volkart Bros. Master — D. A. G. Arnsen, with 4017 tons of general cargo from — Eeattle and San Francisco.

DEPARTURES

S. S. "Jagadamba" The Malabar Steamship Co. Ltd., Master — R. Parcow for Cochin with 900 tons of general cargo, Tonnage Gross 1057,41 Tonnage Nett 426,73.

S. S. "Jalaratna" Scindia Steam Navigation Company Ltd. Master — J. R. DeSylva for — Navlakhi with general cargo.

MONEY MARKET

BOMBAY Sept. 10.

B. C. Rates T T D D 1/5 15/16 Ready
B. C. Rates T T D D 1/5 29/32 up to 6 Months
London Banks Selling T T D D 1/5 31/32 Ready
London Banks Selling T T D D 1/5 15/16 up to 6 months
London Banks Buying T T 1/6 1/32 to 9th month
London Banks Buying T T 1/6 1/16 10th-12th month
London Banks Buying D D 1/16 1/16 to 4th month
London Banks Buying D D 1/6 3/32 5th and 6th month.
London Banks Buying D D 1/6 1/8 7th and 9th month
London Banks Buying 60 and 90 d/st 1/6 1/8 to 4th month
London Banks Buying 60 and 90 d/st 1/6 5/32 5th and 6th month
London Banks Buying 60 and 90 d/st 1/6 3/16 7th and 9th month
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MAHATMA MURDER TRIAL:

Savarkar, Godse & Apte In Group Photograph

PROSECUTION COUNSEL TENDERS EXHIBIT IN COURT

Mrs. Badge Brings Mysterious Document To C. I. D.

RED FORT, DELHI, Sept. 10 (API): Further prosecution evidence was recorded today in the Mahatma Gandhi murder case at the Special Court of Mr. Atma Charan at Red Fort, Delhi.

Dr. P. D. Gokhale, a medical practitioner of Poona, said that he remembered to have been called to the Poona Cantonment Police Station on April 17 this year.

Mr. Nagarvala, some police Officers and one more person were present when he went there. A register (on exhibit) was produced by one Mr. Dabke. He had initialled below the entries in page 254 in the register.

A panchnama was prepared in regard to the production of the register. It bore his signature and also of his co-panch. The panchnama was correct. A coat and a pair of trousers were also produced.

Cross-examined by Mr. P. L. Inamdar, Counsel for Parchure, Dr. Gokhale said that that was the only suit shown to him at that time.

Balkrishan Waman Inamdar (Poona) who acted as a panch when the house of Narain D. Apte was searched on April 13, 1948, testified that a group photograph of V. D. Savarkar, Nathuram V. Godse, Narain D. Apte and some others was recovered from the house of Apte during the search.

Mr. Inamdar said that he remembered having been called on April 13, 1948, by the police in front of the Anand Ashram, situated in Sadashiv Peth, Poona which was the place where the search was made. Members of the family of Narain D. Apte resided in that building. Witness was asked by the police to witness the search which was being made there. The occupants of the house at that time were one male and one female. There was another person who also acted as a panch. A panchnama was prepared in regard to the recovery of the articles. It was signed by witness and his co-panch. The police took possession of the articles mentioned in the panchnama. Witness did not know the members of Apte's family.

SAVARKAR AND GODSE IN PHOTOGRAPH

At this stage, the Prosecution Counsel tendered for exhibiting a group photograph of Mr. V. D. Savarkar, Nathuram Godse and Narain D. Apte and some others, a manuscript dated October 26 1942 and a letter dated September 19 1939.

In reply to a question by the Court, the Prosecuting Counsel submitted that these articles were an evidence of association.

Witness told the Court that these articles were recovered from Apte's house and bore his signature.

Cross-examined by Mr. Mengle Counsel for Narayan Apte, Mr. Inamdar said that he had stayed in Sadashiv Peth, Poona in January-February this year. He remembered the date when the news of the assassination of Mahatma Gandhi was published. The newspaper "Kal" office was set on fire on January 31 but he was not sure of the exact date. "Kal" was a Hindu Mahasabha paper. He had seen the Anath Vidyarthi Graha press in a damaged condition. "Kal" office and the Anath Vidyarthi Graha press were in the same building. He had seen the house of Anna Saheb Dhandhare and four or five more houses in burnt condition. He did not see the house of Anna Saheb Bhopatkar burning.

A curfew order was imposed on January 31 at 5 p.m. for a period of 36 hours. Thereafter the curfew continued for ten-fifteen days for 12 hours from 9 p.m. to 9 a.m.

SHOP ASSISTANT'S EVIDENCE.

Shiva Kannakunji Bilchand, a radio shop assistant, Bombay, stated that he remembered having been called to the C.I.D. office on May 23, 1948 to witness a panchnama. There was another man who also acted as a panch.

While witness was sitting, a woman came there. She took out of a folded paper and handed cover to Mr. Pradhan, Sub-Inspector of C.I.D. Witness came to know her name later on. That name was recorded in the panchnama. After refreshing his memory from the panchnama, witness said that her name was Rukmani Bai, wife of Digambar Badge (approver). When Mr. Pradhan opened that folded paper it was found that it was in eight pieces. All those pieces were arranged and pasted on a sheet of paper. Witness and his co-panch initialled on all these pieces. The police took charge of that sheet of paper. A panchnama was prepared and was read over to witness.

Mr. Frank Rebello, Telephone Inspector, Bombay Telephone District, Bombay in his evidence said that he remembered to have been called to the C.I.D. office on March 8, 1948 to act as a panch. Another person was also present there. Mr. Rebello was asked to witness the hand writing of certain persons. Three persons, who gave their names as Nathuram Godse, Narayan Apte and Vishnu Karkare were brought one by one. Each of them was given a clean sheet of paper. Sub-Inspector Haldipur gave a dictation to Nathuram Godse in English and to Narayan Apte in English and Marathi. Karkare was asked to write down his signature and he wrote in roman character. Witness and his co-panch signed the three sheets of paper (on exhibit). A panchnama was prepared and he and his co-panch signed it. The panchnama was correct.

Cross-examined by Mr. V. V. Oak, counsel for Nathuram Godse, Mr. Rebello said that he did not know these three persons before. He had gathered their names at the time they wrote in the sheet of paper.

Mr. Oak: You have been following the proceeding of this case?

Mr. Rebello: Yes.

Mr. Oak: And that is why you remembered their name?

Mr. Rebello: Yes.

Cross-examined by Mr. Mengle, counsel for Narayan Apte, Mr. Rebello said that the three persons had written in the sheet of paper with a fountain pen.

Mr. Mengle: What was the make of the fountain pen?

Mr. Rebello: I do not remember.

Judge: Now you will ask about the ink also (laughter).

Mr. Mengle: I am coming to that Sir.

Mr. Mengle: Who put the ink in the pen?

Mr. Rebello: It was already there.

Mr. Mengle: What ink was it?

Mr. Rebello: I do not know.

Cross-examined by Mr. Dange, counsel for Karkare Mr. Rebello said that Karkare was asked to put down his signature in roman script by Sub-Inspector Haldipur.

Mr. D. Lawlekar, headclerk in the Bombay Central Telegraph Office (complaint section) said that he was asked to make an enquiry in regard to a telegram dated January 25, 1948 which was said to have been sent by one Vyas "from the Bombay Central Telegraph Office to Apte at Poona. The telegram was obtained by witness from the Telegraph Check Office in Calcutta. Witness identified the telegraph and said that under orders of the Chief Presidency Magistrate, he had handed over the telegram to the Police on March 29, 1948.

Mr. Gajaman Balkrishna Kavthankar was the next witness called in to give evidence in connection with the recovery of a cartload of files containing various letters from the residence of V. D. Savarkar.

The Judge asked the prosecution whether they were going to exhibit all the files. The Court suggested that instead of exhibiting all they should exhibit only those letters on which the prosecution wanted to rely upon. The Court also suggested that they should supply copies of those particular letters to the defence and also to give index agreed to the suggestion and sought time to arrange the exhibits in the manner suggested by the Court. As there was no other witness present the Court adjourned to meet again on Monday.

FLOOD HAVOC SCENES IN U. P.

A VIEW OF THE MANY RELIEF CAMPS TO HOUSE THE EVACUATED PEOPLE.

WOMEN VOLUNTEERS HELPING THE EVACUATED BOYS AND GIRLS.

GANDHI JAYANTI CELEBRATION

Congress Executive's Directive

NEW DELHI, Sept. 10 (API)—The AICC office has announced today the programme of the Gandhi Jayanti celebration as adopted in a resolution by the Congress Working Committee at its recent session in Delhi.

The resolution directs all Congress committees and Congressmen to observe the fortnight from 25th September to 9th October 1948 for the celebraton of Gandhi Jayanti by "concentrating upon collections for the Gandhi Memorial Fund."

The resolution further requests all to contribute their "share of 10 days' income to this fund in memory of one who was the Father of our nation, a great liberator and a world citizen."

The resolution adds: "Such other programme as would demonstrate the significance of the constructive programme as laid down by Mahatma Gandhi can also be carried out."

U.P. Congress To Contest Council Elections

LUCKNOW, Sept. 10 (API): The U.P. Congress Parliamentary Board has unanimously decided to contest the election for membership to the U.P. Legislative Council. The names of the candidates set up to contest these elections for 17 different constituencies have been sent to the Central Congress Parliamentary Board for approval.

RELIEF FOR CAMIGUIN

Army Planes Fly Food: 20,000 To Be Evacuated

MANILA, Sept. 10, (Reuter): Evacuation of the pacific island of Camiguin where a volcano has been erupting for ten days, was speeded up last night after an urgent appeal for aid had been flashed to all ships in the vicinity.

The message from the Phillippine Government volcanologist Senor Arthuro Alcraz said that a rain of acidic ash hd caused "an acute emergency."

The United States army Transport "General Wigall," on her way to Masafter picking up an appeal from a Phillippine naval patrol and is expected at the island tomorrow. Phillippine army planes were flying food to the striken island while the Phillippine Red Cross authorities were taking measures to care for thousand of evacuees.

About 20,000 people were believed awaiting transfer to safety. The appeal for aid came close on reassuring reports that the situation on the island had eased considerably.

CUTTAK, Sept 10, (A.P.I.): Prof. J. C. Kumarappa, Chairman of the Congress Agrarian Reforms Committee, accompanied by Mr. K. Mitra, Secretary arrived here today.

Prof. N. G. Ranga and Mr. P. P. Verma members of the Committee are expected to join the deliberations in Orissa.

BAN ON BIGAMOUS MARRIAGES

Madras Assembly Passes Non-Official Bill

MADRAS, Sept. 10, (A.P.I.): The Madras Assemoly today passed into law the non-official Bill prohibiting bigamous marriages among Hindus of the Province. The Bill also confers the right of divorce both on men and women of the community on grounds of cruel treatment, insanity, desertion, incurable disease and conversion to another religion.

The Bill which received the warmest support from the women members of the House found its only opponents in two Congressmen who held that the legislation would ruin in the long run the happiness that was now prevailing in Hindu homes. They argued that in Britain and America fifty per cent of the marriages were dissolved every year owing to the existence of divorce laws and asked what guarantee there was that the same "madness" would not overtake the people here.

Ahmedabad Ban On Music Before Mosques

AHMEDABAD, Sept. 9 (API)—The District Magistrate has banned the playng of music near Juma Masjid, Koreishi Mosque and Dandi Borah's Mosque at Dhandhuka in Ahmedabad district on 14th September on the occasion of the Jal-Jhilani-Ekadashi festival.

Increased U. N. Supervision Of Colonies

STRONG OPPOSITION TO INDIA'S PLEA FOR PERMANENT COMMITTEE

GENEVA, Sept. 10, (Reuter): D. W. Forsyth, Australian Delegate to the United Nations Special Committee on non-self-governing territories today accused the Soviet Government of using United Nations' bodies" as a forum of propaganda to inspire subversive movements in the colonies."

"Three years' experience of Soviet behaviour in the United Nations' bodies has clearly shown the Soviet Government's objectives" Mr. Forsyth asserted, adding that Russian policy was further intended to undermine the confidence of colonial peoples in the administering powers.

'DISTORTION OF SOVIET POLICY

M. Kulagenkov, the Soviet Delegate interrupting the debate to deny the charges, declared: "Such slanderous statements are not worthy of a member of the United Nations. They represent a deliberate distortion of Soviet foreign policy."

Australia and New Zealand today lined up firmly with the world's six other Colonial Powers to resist increased United Nations supervision of colonies.

Delegates of both countries strongly opposed the proposals made by the Indian delegate Mr Shiva Rao, that United Nations' influence should be sterengthened. The Australian Delegate Mr. Forsyth, declared: "The United Nations cannot call the Colonial Powers to account for their administration of non-self-governing territories."

'COLONIAL SYSTEM RECOGNISED'

"In signing the United Nations Charter all members clearly recognised the colonial system and its stated objectives.

"They recognised the full responsiblity for these territories of the administering powers. Conversely they recognised that non-colonial powers had no responsibility in these territories.

"By accepting the Charter its signatories also implied their confidence in the ability of the administering powers to carry out their responsibilities without United Nations supervision."

My Forsyth added that in the Australian view however, the United Nations General Assembly might express opinions on the technical information of social economic and educational conditions in the colonies.

Mr. J. S. Reid (New Zealand) adopting a smilar stand on the Indian proposals, accused the Russian Delegate of trying to change the United Nations Charter by indirect means.

Replying to lengthy speeches of criticism of the Colonial Powers made by the Soviet Delegate during the past week, he declared that attempts to undermine the charter would be resisted.

INDIA'S CONTENTION

Mr. B. Shiva Rao (India) appealed to the eight Colonial Powers to accept the proposals which would allow the United Nations to follow social economic and educational progress in the world's colonies with their 100,000,000 inhabitants.

He added that while he was not seeking for the United Nations any direct control or supervision of colonial terrjtories he would maintain his proposal for a permanent committee to examine the information on conditions in the colonies which colonial powers submitted annually to the United Nations.

Mr. Rao disagreed with Britain's contention that these reports were submitted "for information only" and need not be debated by the General Assembly, maintaining that a permanent committee was necessary to consider the immense amount of detail in the reports.

He also formally proposed that the General Assembly should lay down a definition of "Non-Self-Governing Territories" so that responsibility should no longer rest on the Colonial Powers to decide which of their territories had reached the stage of self-Government.

BURMESE RICE FOR INDIA

U Pe Kin Says His Govt. Will Honour Pledge

CALCUTTA, Sept. 10, (U.P.I.): Some changes in the present Ministry of Burma were fore-shadowed by the Burmese Ambassador in Pakistan U. Pe Kin who is on his way back to Karachi from Rangoon in an interview in Calcutta today.

The new Cabinet, U. Pe Kin said, would be headed by the present Premier Thakinu. There might be some additions to the Cabinet to make it more representatives but there would be no sweeping changes he added.

'Questioned about the prospect of India getting rice from Burma the Burmese Ambassador said that the Burmese Government hoped to honour the promise made to this country in this connection Now that the port of Bassein had been cleared of the insurgents shipment of rice to India was expected to be resumed shortly.

55th CONGRESS SESSION

Proposal To Build Model Village Near 'Lal Kothi'

JAIPUR (By Mail).—Shri Krishna Das Jaju, Ex-Secretary, A. I. Spinners' Association, and Shrimati Asha Devi, Aryanayakam, of Hindustani Talimi Sangh, reached Jaipur today to attend a meeting of the Exhibition Sub-Committee which will be held tomorrow in the office of the Reception Committee.

Earlier today, Shri Daulatmalji Bhandari, Convenor, Construction Sub-Committee, accompanied by Chandragupta Varshneya, Rameshwar Agrawal and others took Jajuji and Asha Devi round the site (Moti Doongri area) selected for building up the Nagar, Pandal and Exhibition grounds, etc., for holding the forthcoming Jaipur Session of the Indian National Congress.

The party also inspected a small village known as 'Lal Kothi', adjoining the Nagar area. It is proposed for the exhibition sub-committee to build up a Model village in its neighbourhood so as to give villagers an idea of what a village is and what it should be like.

PUBLICITY PROGRAMME

Congress Session film (Documentary as well as Talkie), fortnightly Bulletins, and Bi-weekly Leaflets in addition to extensive Press Publicity are a few side-lights of a vigorous publicity programme chalked out at a meeting of the Publicity Sub-Committee held here yesterday.

It is also decided that a comprehensive and illustrated volume containing all about Rajasthan be published in English as well as Hindustani so as to serve as everybody's real guide on the occasion of the coming Congress Session.

INDIAN PATHOLOGIST ON STUDY TOUR

LUCKNOW, Sept. 10 (API): Dr. S. Mangalik, Professor of Pathology, Medical College, Lucknow, left today for Delhi 'en route' to Canada and U.S.A. on a six month tour. Dr. Mangalik has been deputed by the Government of India to visit various medical institutions and to contact leading pathologists in these countries with a view to studying recent and latest developments in medical science.

SIKH RECEPTION TO RAJAJI

"C. R." Stresses Need For Communal Unity

NEW DELHI, Sept. 10 (UPI): "Those who are intelligent and learned among us, should come together and try to find ways and methods by which we can love our community without doing any harm to our neighbours", said Shri C. Rajagopalachari, Governor-General of India, at a reception given to him this afternoon by the Sikhs of Delhi at the Imperial Hotel.

HATRED OF RECENT GROWTH

Rajaji added: "It is not difficult. There have been different communities in this country in the olden days also, but there were no differences. This hatred which we find around us today, is of recent growth. Let us not narrow ourselves up by isolation. Let us meet as often as we can and forget our differences."

The Governor-General said that he had been asked in the welcome speech to keep down the feeling of communalism through the efforts of the Government. While making this request, the Government had also been asked to keep a kind eye on the Sikhs. Jealousy, hatred, anger and such like feelings between the communities were no doubt bad. But it was not so easy to crush them.

Continuing, he said that to love one's own people was not bad. But what we should crush, are the other aspects of love which go beyond the communities and create ill-feeling amongest them. Too much love of one's own community was bad when people hated their neighbours for the sake of their own community and this was true in every case, whether it was the love of his family, caste, creed or community. If through considerations of restricted love we began to hate one another, then it should be crushed. The same analogy equally applied to one's love of worship, he observed.

APPEAL TO LEADERS

Concluding, the Governor-General said: "Let us give shape to this natural feeling rather than give mere expression to our thoughts. Let the people and leaders of the communities try to love each other without creating ill-feeling amongst them and thereby fulfil their love for the nation".

Welcoming the Governor-General earlier, Sardar Sant Singh reiterated the loyalty of the Sikhs to the Government of India and urged that the Government should demonstrate their sympathy and goodwill towards them, for, he added, they had suffered proportionately more heavily in both economic and religious spheres.

Amongst those present were Mr. N. V. Gadgil, Mr. Mohanlal Saxena, Acharya Jugal Kishore, Sardar Daljit Singh, Commandant of the National Volunteer Corps, Mr. U. Win, Ambassador of Burma, Sardar Sobha Singh, Sardar Datar Singh, Sardar Ujjal Singh, Sardar Sant Singh, Mr. D. L. Mazumdar, Mr. Shankar Prasad, Chief Commissioner of Delhi, and the retiring Deputy Commissioner, Mr. M. S. Randhwa.

Expenditure On Address To Ministers

SURAT, Sept. 9 (API)—The Government of Bombay have notified all local bodies in the Province that they should not violate Government's decicion that not more than Rs. 15 should be spent by the local bodies when they present an address to a Minister of the Province.

MUTT AND JEFF— So What? Neither Could You Eat At That Age — By BUD FISHER

I CAN'T GIVE YOU THE JOB UNLESS YOU ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS CORRECTLY!
O.K. ASK!
NOW, WHAT CITY WERE YOU BORN IN?
OH, I WAS BORN IN SAN FRANCISCO!
BEFORE THE EARTHQUAKE OR AFTER?
BEHIND THE PIANO!
NO, NO! WHAT YEAR WERE YOU BORN IN?
OH, I DUNNO! I WAS ONLY A LITTLE BABY THEN! I COULDN'T READ CALENDARS!

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